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WHO KILLED BURDICK?

His Wife Swears She Doesn't Know Who Committed the Crime.

PENNELL HAD NO KEY TO HOUSE

Mrs. Burdick Claims She Never Saw Or Heard From Pennell Since the Murder, Except a Note of Sympathy. Burdick Children On Stand.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 25.—"Have you received any information as to who killed your husband?" "No sir."

"You swear you have no knowledge or information as to who killed him?" "I do."

These questions were addressed to Mrs. Alice Hull Burdick yesterday afternoon by District Attorney Coatsworth at the inquest into the death of her husband. The answers were returned by Mrs. Burdick in a calm, clear voice. The questions came abruptly while the district attorney was drawing from Mrs. Burdick information about her relations with Arthur R. Pennell. She had denied that Pennell took her key to the front door of the Burdick home while they were in New York together and had duplicates made of it.

To complete the examination of every one known to have been in the Burdick home on the night of the murder, the district attorney yesterday called to the stand the two youngest Burdick children, Carol and Alice, aged respectively 13 and 10 years. The children displayed no more sign of emotion than did their grandmother or mother or older sister while talking about the terrible death of their father. Their recollection of the happenings at the time of the tragedy was rather hazy, and "I don't remember" was usually the answer they gave when the district attorney pressed them closely on any point.

Mrs. Burdick trusted Pennell implicitly in everything. The district attorney read a number of letters written to Mrs. Burdick by Pennell, in which he said life was not worth living without her, and that death would not be unwelcome. She knew nothing of a document found in her safety deposit vault bonding Pennell to pay her $25,000 in the event of his being unable to marry her. Although it was among Mrs. Burdick's private papers in the vault, she claimed to have been ignorant of its existence.

Mrs. Burdick admitted that Pennell had promised to marry her after her divorce from Burdick, their intention being, she said, Pennell had declared, "to go out west and get a divorce from Mrs. Pennell," after which marriage would be easy.

Mrs. Burdick declared that the last time she saw Pennell was on Tuesday before the murder. He left her that night in Atlantic City, arriving in Buffalo Wednesday. She was informed of Mr. Burdick's death by a message from Mrs. Hull on the following Friday, and hastened to Buffalo. A brief note of sympathy from Pennell came to the house Saturday. She never heard from him or saw him, she said, between that time and the day he was killed by his automobile plunging into the stone quarry.

Mr. Coatesworth showed Mrs. Burdick a letter written from New York to Mr. Burdick by Mrs. Pennell on December 22, 1902. In it Mrs. Pennell asked Mr. Burdick if he was absolutely crazy in taking the burden of pressing the divorce proceedings. She called attention to the fact that Pennell did not value life too highly, and intimated that he might commit suicide and take Mrs. Burdick with him.

"What did she mean by that?" asked Mr. Coatsworth.

"I don't know," replied Mrs. Burdick.

In a letter written December 28, 1902, by Mrs. Burdick to Mr. Burdick, she told him she intended to go to Atlantic City. The letter also contained a veiled threat at suicide. She had never talked to Pennell about putting himself out of the way or about committing suicide herself.

Mr. Coatsworth read another letter written by Pennell to Mrs. Burdick from Boston, in which he said:

"Dearest Love—This is also a very hasty note. I got your letter. I was not surprised that your note was unhappy. We seem to be powerless against our fate, but we had our opportunity and failed to take advantage of it."

"What did he mean by 'We had our opportunity and failed to take advantage of it?'"

"I don't know, unless he was referring to the time we went to Atlantic City and came back again."

When she went to Niagara Falls on December 3 she had with her a key to the outer door of their house, and she carried that key to New York and Atlantic City.

"And Mr. Pennell also had a key to the door?"

"Not that I know of."

"Where is that key now?"

"At home."

"Will you swear that Pennell did not or information as to who killed your husband?" "I do."

"You never heard any one say that he or she was going to do it?" "No sir."

"And you have no information or knowledge by which you can place your hands on who did it?" "No sir."

"That's all," said Mr. Coatsworth.

Cross-examined by Attorney Hartzell, Mrs. Burdick said that Pennell learned at the charity ball that Burdick had secured from her the letters which Pennell had written to her. He seemed much agitated and wanted the letters back.

"Did he fear the revelations of a divorce action?" "Yes, very much."

"Were your relations with him ever criminal?" "No sir."

"Did he ever make any indecent suggestions to you?" "No sir."

"He was always a perfect gentleman?" "Yes sir."

"Then why was he afraid of the divorce proceedings?" "He was afraid of being humiliated."

By the court: "Didn't you know that Mrs. Pennell loved her husband?"

"She may have once."

"Did you and Mrs. Pennell ever have any conversation on the subject? Didn't she feel that you had wronged her?"

"No, I don't think she did. She knew it was Arthur's fault."

"Was Mr. Burdick fond of the ladies?"

"Yes, he was very fond of them."

"Don't you know that Mrs. Pennell was at Mr. Burdick's home the night of the murder?" "No sir."

"Didn't any one tell you that she was?" "No sir."

"Do you know that Pennell was there that night?" "No sir."

"Didn't any one tell you he was there?" "No sir."

"And you have no reason for believing he was there?" "No sir."

"If Pennell or any one else had made any threats against your husband what would you have done?"

"I should have warned him."

"Pennell never made any such threats?" "No sir."

Mrs. Burdick was then excused and her two children were called.

Women Inspectors May Go.

The use of women inspectors in the immigration to board arriving steamers in New York and look out for young women brought to this country for immoral purposes is not proving as successful as was promised for the system.

Commissioner General Sargent said that from special reports received from the New York officials he was satisfied women inspectors met with difficulties incident to their inexperience with the rough conditions of the service, and were really not getting as good results as men would. By some it has been claimed that women were especially needed for the work in question, because they could command the confidence of young women from Germany and the Scandinavian countries who were being brought over for improper purposes, and so could run down the guilty persons who were engaged in the nefarious business. Mr. Sargent says that on the contrary a man can get at the facts in such cases where women fail entirely.

The women inspectors have been at work for nearly three months, the scheme has had a fair trial, and the commissioners think it would be wise to abandon it.

Only a Dream.

A. A. Dale barrister, experienced a severe disappointment Tuesday morning. Whilst reclining in the arms of morpheus Monday night, he had a dream probably caused by having eaten an over abundance of rich food before retiring, but whatever the cause, he dreamed. As long as the dream lasted, he was in the seventh heaven, all his hopes and ambitions had been realized, for he was elected to the United States Senate. He bore the honors gracefully, and realizing how much would be expected of him, commenced the study of parlimentary rules, that he might shine with great luster when he took his seat. He planned laws he would have enacted, for the benefit of those whom he was to represent. Just as he was beginning to think of how he should spend his salary, which would give him much more ready money than he is accustomed to handle, he awoke—to find all his pleasant prospects blasted.

Of Interest to Trout Fishermen.

The law prohibits the catching of trout before April 15. Fine for violation is $25. It further provides that no trout less than six inches in length shall be taken from any stream

Fish wardens say the law requires them to examine baskets and they propose to do so. The fine is $10 for each and every trout found in anyone's possession that is under lawful size.

—It's the black sheep of the family that often masquerades as spring lamb.

—The Reformed Classis will meet in Boalsburg May 20 to 24, inclusive.

SITE FOR NAVAL STATION

Secretary Moody Selects Guantanamo as Principal Base in Cuba.

EXAMINED STRATEGIC POINTS

Congress Will Be Asked to Purchase Twenty Square Miles and Several Islands and Erect Strong Fortifications Against Sea Attack.

Guantanamo, Cuba, March 25.—After a personal inspection of the proposed site, Secretary Moody has selected Guantanamo as the principal United States naval station in the West Indies. Secretary Moody, Senator Proctor and Congressmen Cannon, Foss and Gillett arrived here Monday on board the United States dispatch boat Dolphin, which anchored in the lower bay.

Secretary Moody and his associates have worked incessantly during the past two days under a hot sun, examining the strategic points, the transportation facilities, the water supply and the surrounding country. They visited the locations for the proposed fortifications, surveyed the coast line and conferred with the owners of the land it is proposed to acquire.

Senator Proctor and the congressmen will recommend the purchase of 20 square miles of land on both sides of the lower bay and several small islands. As soon as the necessary legislation has been secured they favor the construction of a permanent barracks, a dry dock and strong fortifications, designed against a sea attack only, fortifications on the land side not being considered as necessary. No difficulty is anticipated in acquiring the necessary lands, as the Spanish and the English owners are enthusiastic for the station. It is thought that both the army and the navy will maintain forces at Guantanamo.

The Dolphin proceeded to Jamaica today.

The Last Course Entertainment.

The entertainment Tuesday night by the Bostonian Sextette Club was one of the finest of the Course. It was almost exclusively instrumental music, and every one of the performers was an artist. The selections were of a high order, in fact so high we failed to understand or appreciate them, but we never let on, we just kept our eye on a few in the audience whom we knew to be judges of what was correct, and when they applauded we did so, and made our boy follow suit, till at last he rebelled; so we went it alone. To the cultivated ear, no doubt, it was a delightful treat, but for one we are willing to confess a little "rag time" music would have been more soul satisfying. We make this confession with "shame and confusion of face", but to tell the truth it was beyond us to understand and enjoy.

The vocal part of the program as rendered by Miss Crockett was pretty good. The young lady was nicely dressed and made a fine appearance on the stage. As she sang in Italian we did not understand the words, nor catch the sentiment of her selections.

This finishes the course for the season, and to be no more than fair we must say that the citizens of Bellefonte owe much to the ladies of the W. C. T. U. for this series of entertainments which were the best of any given heretofore, and we promise that next season they will sell more tickets than ever.

Petrikin Hall is just the place for entertainments of this character, for it is large, airy and comfortable and always clean. Many thanks are due the Janitors for their indefatigable and herculean efforts to raise and lower the windows that the temperature of the hall might suit every particular person.

Disgraceful Scene Saturday Night.

Frank Miller, Brack Powell and a man by the name of Carter, all colored, created a disturbance up town last Saturday night. They were properly arrested and conveyed to the lock-up, where they languished until sometime on Sunday, when they were released upon the payment of $7.50 by Miller and $5.00 each by the other two. It seems that the payment of fines does not deter these fellows from indulging in disgraceful conduct on our streets—by next Saturday night they will be just as ready to engage in another brawl.

The sooner these men understand such behavior will not be tolerated, it will be better for all concerned, and in order to make the punishment severe enough to bring them to their senses, let the council give Burgess Walker authority to purchase a few balls and chains, and put such characters to work cracking stone for a few days. We are satisfied this would have the desired effect. Let us at least give it a trial.

SAD DEATH OF A LITTLE BOY.

Harry Russell Drowned in Spring Creek on Tuesday Afternoon.

About 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon little Harry Russell a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell who live on Willowbank street, was fishing with a little friend, Henry Miller, near the breast of the dam at J. Howard Lingle's machine shops when he slipped from the steep embankment into water below and was drowned. Little Miller says he rose and sank several times and then the swift current carried him down the stream. Little Russell was a pretty little boy and was a general favorite among all his playmates.

The body was found about 8 o'clock in the evening although diligent search had been continued during the afternoon.

Hundreds of persons lined the banks, drawn thither through curiosity and sympathy, and willing hands assisted in the work of finding the body.

Owing to the swollen and rapid current, it was difficult to drag the stream, a seine was in use, but without result, and the water being cold it was impossible to remain in it for any length of time.

About eight o'clock A. B. Steel who was using a rake at the flood gates of Gerberichs race found the body, it had floated almost one half mile from where the little child had fallen into the stream. The lifeless form of the dear little fellow was tenderly borne to the home of its sorrowing parents who are almost broken hearted over the sudden awful loss they have sustained,

The funeral will occur on Friday afternoon from the St. John's Episcopal church at 2 o'clock. Rev. George Israel Brown officiating.

Death of Mrs. Thomas Wilson.

The death of this estimable woman occurred on Thursday about six o'clock, at her home below Bellefonte, her age being sixty years.

The deceased had been at the Bellefonte Hospital a few weeks ago and underwent an operation for cancer of the liver, but the disease had afflicted her system to such a degree, that medical skill was of no avail and she gradually grew worst until relieved by death of her suffering.

Mrs. Wilson was a woman admired and respected by all who knew her, and her death will be sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends.

Surviving the deceased are her husband three sons and two daughters.

Death of Rev. William Howe Lingenfelter.

Rev. William Howe Lingenfelter, aged 69 years, 8 months and 11 days died Sunday at 2 o'clock in the morning at his home in Philipsburg, after an illness of 3 weeks with disease of the heart and liver.

He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and a local preacher in that denomination. His wife, two sons and one daughter survive him.

The funeral took place at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, these services were conducted in the Methodist Episcopal church at Philipsburg. The services at the grave were in charge of Moshannon lodge No. 391, Free and Accepted Masons.

Death of William Swanzey.

The LeMars, Iowa, Sentinel contains a notice of the death of William Swanzey at that palce on the 19th, inst., after a few weeks illness. He was well known in this county having been born in Centre county February 23, 1825. He lived near Jacksonville, Centre county, for many years. In 1852 he went west settling in Illinois and later moved to Iowa. He was a veteran of the civil war and was highly respected as a citizen in the community in which he lived.

In 1850 he married Elizabeth Reed, daughter of the late William Reed of Clintondale. His wife and four children survive.

Death of Isaac E. Berg.

Isaac E. Berg a well known P. R. R. Passenger Conductor died at his resident in Tyrone Thursday evening of heart failure. He had eaten his supper and lighted a cigar, when he became unconscious and expired immediately.

The deceased was well known to many of our citizens having been conductor of the Passenger train between Tyrone and Lock Haven. Of late years he had been running on the Scotia branch.

He was a man highly respected by every one. Surviving him are his wife and one son.

IDENTIFIES BLOODY BOLT

Elmer Collins Recognizes Weapon Used to Kill His Wife.

THE DEFENSE RESTS ITS CASE

Truthfulness of Five Leading Witnesses For the State Impeached and Testimony In Rebuttal Is Submitted. Alibi For Colored Suspect.

Georgetown, Del., March 25.—After having directly impeached the truthfulness of five of the leading witnesses for the state, the defense rested yesterday in the case of Elmer Collins, on trial for the murder of his young wife. The prosecution at once began presenting evidence in support of the attacked witnesses.

William W. Culver, the first witness of the day for the defense, told of a visit to the Collins farm the day after the murder. He said: "I went all over the farm. I tried the corncrib door. It slid open. There were about 50 baskets of corn there."

This evidence was in contradiction to that of four witnesses for the state who had said that the corncrib was kept locked all day Sunday after the murder.

Mrs. Martha Benson's evidence was that, to the best of her knowledge, Garland Fitzgerald had never been in the Collins house the day after the murder, that she had been there all day. On cross-examination she said she could not be sure whether or not any one came in the front door.

Maud Collins testified that she had been about the house all day Sunday and Monday, and had not seen Mr. Fitzgerald, who had testified for the state regarding a visit to the Collins house. Rose Collins testified to the same effect. These last two witnesses are sisters of the murdered woman.

Elmer Collins, the prisoner, was recalled to the stand. He was shown the long iron bolt with which the state says Mrs. Collins was beaten to death. He was asked by his counsel, Mr. White, "Do you recognize this bolt?"

"Yes."

"Where did you get it?"

"From my wife's father. I drove it into the ground to tie cows to. It laid around the door of the carriage house, and I last remember seeing it about two weeks before the murder. I had another bolt like that."

The hatchet with which Mrs. Collins' throat is believed to have been cut was shown to Collins. He said: "That is my hatchet. I had no regular place to keep it. I can't remember where I used it last." Collins was not cross-examined.

The next witness was David O. Moore, state senator. He testified: "I have known Elmer Collins for more than 20 years. His general reputation for peace and order is good."

The defense then rested.

J. Edward Bailey, of Delmar, was called by the state in rebuttal, and said Henry Niblet, whose reputation for truth was attacked by the defense, was a man of veracity. He said he would believe him on his oath.

Jacob Morris, a Portsville sailor, said Mrs. Mary E. Smith, a witness for the defense, said to him about a month after the murder: "Why not pick up some sorry nigger or sorry white man and let Elmer go. There are plenty of them."

Detectives brought into court the colored man Pratt, or Waite, who was once alleged to have confessed to the murder of Mrs. Collins. He was confined by numerous big straps, and may be put upon the witness stand to show the jury his mental condition, so they can judge of the value of his alleged confession. Other witnesses will prove an alibi for the colored man.

Woman Suffragists Elect Officers.

New Orleans, March 25.—The principal business of the Woman Suffrage convention yesterday was the election of officers, as follows: Honorary president, Susan B. Anthony, Rochester, N. Y.; president, Carrie Chapman Catt, New York; vice-president-at-large, Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, Philadelphia; corresponding secretary, Kate M. Gordon, New York; recording secretary, Alice Stone Blackwell, Boston; treasurer, Harriet Taylor Upton, Warren, Ohio; auditors, Mary J. Coggeshall, Des Moines, Iowa; Laura Clay, Lexington, Ky.

Born With Set of Teeth.

A baby born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tulen, who live on a farm near Cherry Creek, near Rochester, N. Y., has a full set of teeth and long, flowing black hair. The child shows every evidence of being healthy. The doctor who was present when the child was born says that although there have been similar cases before he does not think one ever has been known to live. The chances for the Tulen baby, however, are more than bright.

Winter has returned to nestle (we hope for only a short time) in the lap of Spring.

SHORT AND PITHY.

The price of anthracite coal will be reduced fifty cents per ton on April 1st.

Nelk, the brute who is on trial in Philadelphia for killing his mother, is a cigarette fiend.

It is safe to expect that the Statehood plank in the Republican platform will undergo some revision at the next convention.

The Pennsylvania State capitol is to be built of Vermont granite, Pity 'tis that there is no stone in our own State with which to erect this public building.

Only a little over three weeks and the Legislature will adjourn. If our lawmakers have not accomplished much good, they have at least done little harm.

Methodist Conference is in session at Altoona. We hope it will have a good influence on the citizens of that city. They need a few more preachers than they now have.

The Senate has just concluded a special session during which all of its meetings were secret and all of the secret proceedings have been printed daily in the newspapers.

Hon. J. Will Kepler's anti-miscegenation bill has not yet passed the Legislature. There seems to be a little difficulty in the way. We hope it will pass, and it should.

Few people realize or appreciate the excellent financial condition of Centre county—a great big balance in the treasury, good public buildings, and not one dollar of indebtedness.

Now, since the Coal Commission has made a report which is acceptable to operator and miner, and the bituminous wage scale is signed, we are sure of cheap coal and plenty of it for another year.

The harmony in the ranks of the democratic party is appalling. If it continues the authorities will be obliged to put all presidential candidates, past and present, under bonds to keep the peace.

Mrs. Maybrick, who has been in an English prison for fifteen years for poisoning her husband, is to be released next year. If she comes to America we would advise her to make her home in Buffalo.

New Hampshire has just voted down an amendment to the constitution which sought to strike from the Bill of Rights the words "Protestant and Evangelical" and substitute therefor the word "Christian."

Elderly persons of both sexes will be delighted to learn that remarkably softened effects are obtained in photographs where thin sheets of celluloid are interposed between the negative and the printing paper.

Two new Senators from Delaware have been sworn in but Mr. Addicks is doing no swearing. He knows, as do some other people, that he will own the State after the next election and that he will succeed Senator Ball.

The greatest error of Mr. Addicks is that he has purchased the Delaware Legislature on the installment plan instead of en bloc. Many Senators have bought their seats by the latter method and the public has forgotten all about it.

Much is said and written about the large number of Americans who visit Europe each year but a glance at the Washington hotel registers reveals the fact that a surprisingly large number of Europeans visit this country annually.

The Burdick murder at Buffalo is as much a mystery as ever, notwithstanding the efforts made to fix the crime. The investigation thus far has shown the deplorable moral condition of that city. It would be a good field for Missionaries.

Rhode Island and Delaware have politics and corruption in large proportions. They are not large geographically, but neither are fleas or mosquitoes, and yet they have been known to keep a man and his wife in turmoil half the night.

Mr. Lloyd Griscom, United States Minister to Japan, has just presented to the State Department a facsimile of the original Emancipation proclamation signed by Lincoln, the original of which is supposed to have been destroyed in the great fire of Chicago.

A minister lately said that a woman who wears the plumage of a bird in her hat could not go heaven. Did this man consider how many innocent chickens were cruelly slaughtered each year for the sake of the clergy? A chicken's life is just as dear to it as if it were a bird of plumage or song.

MITCHELL IS PLEASED

Says Decision of Strike Commission is a Victory For the Miners.

THE NEWS IN THE COAL REGIONS

The Award Does Not Meet With Full Favor With Mine Workers—$3,000,000 In Back Pay—Operators Predict Higher Prices For Coal.

Detroit, Mich., March 23.—"The decision of the anthracite coal strike commission is on the whole a decided victory for the miners, and I am pleased with it," said President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, in an interview Saturday night. "The anthracite miners of Pennsylvania have reason to be much pleased with the commission's awards, and I am sure that they are," he said. In reply to a question as to whether the miners were given as much as had been hoped for, Mr. Mitchell answered after an instant's deliberation: "I do not care to say."

"The most important feature of the awards," he continued, "is of course the increase of 10 per cent. given the miners. This will result in an annual increase in the wages of the 140,000 anthracite miners of Pennsylvania of $6,000,000. The sliding scale provided for by the commission is very satisfactory, inasmuch as a minimum of $4.50 per ton is fixed. With white ash coal at $5.50 per ton at tidewater, the increase provided for in the sliding scale will be equivalent to 20 per cent. more on the miners' wages."

President Mitchell was asked if he was disappointed because the commission did not recognize the union formally, and he replied that he was not, because the decision of the commission and its awards were in themselves recognition of the power and influence of the United Mine Workers.

"After the increase of wages given the miners," said Mr. Mitchell, "the most important of the awards, from the miners' standpoint, are the ones fixing a nine-hour day and providing for a board of conciliation. The award gives a nine-hour day with ten hours pay directly to 90,000 men, and practically all of the other employes of the anthracite mines will get a nine-hour day by reason of their comrades' shorter hours. The provision for a board of conciliation will result in great good, and I am much pleased with it. It will compel investigation of both sides of controversies between the miners and operators and bring the employers into closer relationship with their men. Will the miners stand by the commission's report and awards? They unquestionably will."

Operators Say Coal Will Be Higher.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 23. — The coal operators of the Wyoming Valley are of the opinion that the award made by the strike commission is going to increase the cost of taking coal out of the earth to a greater extent than appears on the surface. The shorter hours granted the engineers, firemen and laborers will mean the employment of more men, and this in turn means an increase in the pay roll.

As nearly as can be estimated the aggregate increase in back salary to the miners will amount to $3,000,000.

James F. Lenahan, one of the principal attorneys representing the United Mine Workers during the sessions of the strike commission, says: "The award is a sweeping victory for the miners, and the union is practically recognized. Through the efforts of President John Mitchell the miners have succeeded in obtaining an advance of 20 per cent. in wages during the past two years."

Lackawanna's Divided View.

Scranton, Pa., March 23—The award does not meet with full favor with local mine workers and their officials, because it failed on the question of weighing coal, the principal issue in their six months' strike. The executive officers who were at headquarters regard the method of providing a board of conciliation as meaning that the organization would through it become the medium for settling any dispute which might arise. Outside of the points as to weighing coal and recognition, the award was favorably regarded.

Anarchy Without Coal Police.

Pottsville, Pa., March 23.—To the Schuylkill operators the most astonishing feature of the strike commission's report was the black eye given to the coal and iron police. All the general officers of the Reading Coal and Iron Company here expressed the opinion that the abolition of the company's policemen would mean anarchy in the coal regions.

Men at Hazelton Dissatisfied.

Hazleton, Pa., March 23.—While the report of the commission was eagerly scanned by the miners, it can be said that it does not meet with the universal approval that was anticipated, particularly as far as the miners are concerned. President Dettrey, however, regards the award of the commission, so far as based on the demands of the United Mine Workers, as very good. He also believes that the recommendations for the settling of future troubles will bring an additional advance in wages to the class of workmen that are entitled to it.

—The best pill 'neath the stars and stripes; it cleanses the system and never gripes. Little Early Risers of wordly repute—Ask for DeWitt's and take no substitute. A small pill, easy to buy, easy to take and easy to act, but never failing in results. DeWitt's Little Early Risers arouse the secretions and act as a tonic to to the liver, curing permanently.
Parrish's Drug Store.

COIN COLLECTOR'S PLAN.

Numismatists Plan Unique Exhibition for St. Louis Fair.

Farran Zerbe, a Tyrone resident from babyhood, left for St. Louis recently. His business at the exposition city is explained in an article contained in the Pittsburg Times of the 11th inst., which follows:

The coin and stamp collectors have evolved a novel scheme for an exhibit of their hobbies at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis. Farran Zerbe, a collector of the East, is in Pittsburg now with the details of the plan en route to St. Louis to endeavor to gain a favorable hearing for his plan from the directors of the exposition. The promoters think their plan is educational in value.

It consists principally in having a $1,000,000 gold piece, constructed on lines of a $20 gold piece, surrounded by $1,000,000 worth of paper money and $1,000,000 worth of stamps. In the same exhibit are to be hundreds and thousands of rare and curious coins to give added interest to the display.

The huge gold piece planned, if built on the lines of the ordinary $20 gold piece, would be 40 feet in diameter and about 30 inches thick. The eagle's wings on it would span 20 feet. Who is to manufacture this immense amount of gold into one coin is not stated, but it presumably would be the United States government, if the plan is carried out. Mr. Zerbe has with him gold pieces of the denomination of 25 and 50 cents, $1, $2.50, $3, $4, $5, $10, $20 and $50. He carries these for comparisons of size. Besides these he has other coins of great rarity.

Among these is an old silver coin of 501 B. C. which was excavated from the ruins of the ancient city of Syracuse and bears on it the head of Arethusa, king at that time. There is a piece of Chinese razor money, dating back to 350 B. C., of what is known as the Ming series, when the Chinese made their money in the semblance of some tool or implement.

He has a piece of money issued by Pope Pius VI in 1704, at the time when the papacy was a temporal as well as a spiritual power. There is a small round bit, which you are told is bullet money of Siam, and indeed it looks like an illy cast bullet.

There is a Kruger penny, from the Transvaal, bearing the head of the old Boer patriot on it, and the date of 1892. From Sweden there is an orr, with the date of 1676 on it. There is a cart wheel two pence or tuppence, one of the heaviest coins ever made, and very rare.

There is a small coin which is of the denomination of one-half disme, or dime, bearing the date of 1792. You are assured that it is of silver, and was made from some of George Washington's private dinner plate melted down, in the days when the United States was too poor to buy bullion for coins. There are Austrian crown pieces of the dates of 1576 and 1586.

TOURS TO THE PACIFIC COAST.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Presbyterian General Assembly.

For the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church at Los Angeles, Cal., May 21 to June 2, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run three personally conducted tours to Los Angeles and the Pacific Coast. These tours will leave Harrisburg and Altoona May 12, 13, and 14. Tour No. 1, covering twenty-four days, $128,25 from Harrisburg; $126 from Altoona. Tour No. 2, covering forty-three days, including Yellowstone Park, $248, 75 from Harrisburg and $247,50 from Altoona. Tour No. 3, covering thirty days including Grand Canyon of Arizona, $152,25 from Harrisburg and $150.50 from Altoona. Proportionate rates from other points. Arrangements may be made to return independently on Tours No. 1 and No. 3.

Special Pullman trains will be used and the services of a tourist agent, chaperon, baggage-master, and official stenographer will be proviedd on each train.

For itinerary giving rates and full information apply to Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, Pa.

Soldiers in Battle.

"In battle," said an old soldier, "practically everyone loses his self-control. The fear of death causes men to do the strangest and most foolish things. Everyone in battle is a kind of lunatic.

"This was well proven when, after the battle of Gettysburg, 24,000 muskets were picked up on the field, of which only 6,000 were loaded right. No less than 12,000 contained a double charge, while the remaining 6,000 contained from three to ten charges apiece. This showed how the soldiers loaded and forgot to fire, loaded again and forgot to fire, loaded again, and so on.

"Don't think from this that our American soldiers were cowards. On every battlefield the guns that are picked up are in the same condition as were those of Gettysburg."

One Minute Cough Cure
For Coughs, Colds and Croup.
C. M. Parrish.

CASTRO RESIGNS

President of Venezuela Decides to Retire From Office.

CONGRESS REFUSES TO ACCEPT IT

Delegation Requested Castro to Reconsider His Decision, But He Declines to Change His Mind—Will Suggest Solution to Situation.

Caracas, March 22.—President Castro has resigned. He placed his resignation of the presidency of the Republic of Venezuela in the hands of the president of congress after reading the presidential message Saturday. Senor Castro handed over the exercise of the presidential function to the president of congress.

The congressional hall was crowded Saturday afternoon when President Castro read his message to congress. Speaking of Venezuela's recent troubles with the allied powers he says:

"Our victory over the great adversities which have oppressed us must terminate the tumults of our life, otherwise we shall reach a shameful dissolution. I now deliver my abdication in order that you may proceed legally to call on him who should take my place, so that there may remain to no Venezuelan the slightest pretext for hostility to his country or connivance with foreigners, who, without any ground save force, fell upon unfortunate Venezuela, trampling under foot reason and justice to the detriment of civilization and right. With head uplifted and with a tranquil conscience I return to the efforts of toil with honor and dignity. The energies and possibilities of my life are at your service should it become necessary to arise and defend our country against the attacks of the foreigner. All the glory I ask is to contemplate Venezuela becoming respected, prosperous and happy."

Later a night session of congress was held and a resolution was adopted, requesting President Castro to reconsider his resignation in view of the critical condition of the republic, and a vote of confidence in his policy was passed unanimously. A committee was appointed to transmit this resolution to the president.

The delegation appointed by congress called at noon yesterday at the president's residence, Miraflores Palace, and transmitted to President Castro the resolution unanimously adopted by congress, refusing to accept his resignation, and requesting him to reconsider his decision. President Castro in reply refused to change his mind, but after being urged by his personal friends, he offered to present another message to congress, which he will meet on Thursday, to suggest a solution to the situation.

COUNCILMAN ARRESTED

Julius Troy, of Scranton, Charged With Stealing Copper Wire.

Scranton, Pa., March 23.—One year ago Scranton was stirred to its very centre by an expose of City Hall crookedness which resulted in 11 councilmen resigning as an alternative to prosecution for thievery. Yesterday the city was fairly shocked from centre to circumference by the arrest of one of its municipal fathers, Councilman Julius Troy, of the Eleventh ward, for stealing copper wire from the Lackawanna and Wyoming Valley Railroad Company. It is not a technical or quasi-detainer larceny that is charged. According to Superintendent of Police Day's entry on the criminal docket, he purloined a lot of copper conduit wire and was arrested while in the act of disposing of it to a junk dealer, to whom, according to the junk dealer's admission, he had previously sold, on several occasions, similar booty.

Incendiaries In Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, March 23.—Three fires in the northeastern section of the city during Saturday night caused a loss aggregating $175,000. The greatest damage occurred at the morocco works of Cooey, Costello & Co., on Orthodox street, Bridesburg, which was almost completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at $100,000. Two men were arrested in connection with the fire which partially destroyed the flint glass works of Gill & Co., where $35,000 damage was done. The two men arrested were John Oakes, the watchman, who was released on his own recognizance, and George V. Capewell, who was held in $800 bail for a further hearing. Both men were charged with conspiracy. The third fire occurred at the factory of Block & Shaw, manufacturers of smoking pipes, on East York street. Considerable mystery surrounds the fire at this place. The loss is $40,000.

A Pig Thief.

It is nothing unusual for a farmer to have his hen roost robbed; his smoke house cleaned up of hams, sides and sausage; his corn crib systematically drained of its golden ears; his wheat bin tapped of a grist of wheat through an auger hole, but the pig sty is ordinarily safe from being robbed of its pink-nosed, lop-eared inmates.

But this was not the case with Daniel P. Houser, living west of Centre Hall, for about two weeks ago his pen was robbed of four pigs which he had cared for for a period of three months. No trace of the robbery could be found.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve
For Piles, Burns, Sores.
C.M. Parrishs

A TRIBUTE TO "DAD."

His Virtues Extolled and Recognition of Them Demanded.

The editor of the Stevens County Revellie has got tired of hearing mother praised and dad neglected, and has scratched off a few lines of glowing tribute to dad.

"We happened in a home the other night," he says, "and saw the legend worked in letters of red, 'What is home without a mother?' Across the room was another brief, 'God bless our home.'

"Now, what's the matter with 'God bless our dad?' He gets up early, lights the fire, boils an egg, grabs his dinner pail and wipes off the dew of the dawn with his boots while many a mother is sleeping. He makes the weekly hand-out for the butcher, the grocer, the milk-man and baker, and his little pile is badly worn before he has been home an hour. He stands off the bailiff and keeps the rent paid up.

"If there is a noise during the night dad is kicked in the back and made to go down stairs to find the burglar and kill him. Mother darns the socks, but dad bought the socks in the first place and the needles and the yarn afterward. Mother does up the fruit; well, dad bought it all and jars and sugar cost like the mischief. Dad buys chickens for the Sunday dinner, carves them himself and draws the neck from the ruins after everyone else is served.

"'What is home without a mother?' Yes, that is all right, but what is home without a father? Ten chances to one it is a boarding house, father is under a slab and the landlady is the widow. Dad, here's to you; you've got your faults—you may have lots of 'em—but you're all right, and we will miss you when you're gone."

Basket Ball in the Armory.

The game of basket ball between the Bellefonte Athletic club and Bellefonte Academy, which took place Thursday night in the Armory, was largely attended by friends of the opposing clubs.

The game was interesting and hotly contested from start to finish, many fine plays being made by individual members of both clubs. The best of feeling prevailed, and the vanquished accepted defeat gracefully.

We are not familiar with the game else we might be able to mention some individual plays, but both sides displayed great skill and activity in manipulating the ball.

The usual number of rooters were present representing both clubs and they made Rome howl with their yells.

We understand Frank Newbaker and Ed. Keichline, of the B. A. C., were disabled and unable to play, so their places were taken by substitutes. The result of the game was 19 to 11 in favor of the Academy.

The line-up was as follows:

B. A.	POSITION.	B. A. C.
McClafferty	Centre	Curtin
Thomas, McIntosh	Forwards	Quigley, Gephart
Louder, McCandless	Guards	Lane, Yearick

Umpire—Frank Newbaker.
Referee—M. A. Jackson.
Time Keepers. J. M. Laurie. Newlin Irwin.

Horace Greeley's Last Letter.

C. G. Case writes to the Hartford Times: In connection with your notice of the 16th instant, headed "Horace Greeley's Broken Heart," it may be interesting to know that my father, the late O. D. Case, an intimate friend of Greeley's, greatly prized what seems to be the last letter of that great editor. This letter, written on the note paper of the New York Tribune, in Greely's curious hand, reads as follows:

"My Dear Sir: I thank you very much for your kind letter. I know I meant to do good by accepting the nomination, but I may have been under an illusion. At all events, I know that good has resulted from the Liberal movement, and I trust it is not yet exhausted. I hear privately that reform is to be the order of the day at the White House. I sincerely trust it may be. Yours.

HORACE GREELEY.

O. D. Case, Esq., Hartford, Conn.

Greeley died Nov. 29, 1872. According to published accounts, the 10th was the last day at the Tribune office. His spirit was so broken by Thomas Nast's cartoons that he never returned to the newspaper office after that day. Other letters from Greeley, supposed to have been is last have been published, but none of as late date as the foregoing.

A REMARKABLE CASE.

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I run down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough cure. Four bottle of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength."
Parrish's Drug Store.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers
The famous little pills.
C. M. Porrish.

The man on the stage who does the trick of escaping from firmly tied ropes, submits to the bonds with a smile. He knows he can get out of the ropes that are being knotted. Put the same man in the woods and let Indian captors bind him to a tree for torture and he would struggle to the last against the bonds.

When the stomach is diseased there are bonds being woven every hour about the organs dependent on the stomach—heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, etc. The folly of mankind is to passively submit to the fastening of these bonds with no effort to escape until the pain they cause arouses fear.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures diseases of heart, liver, lungs, kidneys and other organs, when these diseases, as is often the case, have their origin in the diseased stomach.

"For a long time I was suffering and was hardly able to get about," writes Mr. Andrew J. Jennings, of Thomas, Tucker Co., W. Va., Box 194. "Was bothered with kidney trouble and my whole system was out of order; had no appetite. A friend of mine told me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I did so and the first bottle restored my appetite. I took six bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and some of the 'Pleasant Pellets' and feel like a new person."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the clogged system from impurities.

The Spring Changes.

While house hunting seems to be the principal diversion of some of our good citizens, the changes that are going to be made this spring are not nearly so many as usual. Mrs. D. W. Woodring has bought her brother's interest in the Galbraith property on Howard street and with her family will take possession of it the 1st of the month. Conductor John D. Hall, who now occupies the same, will move into the Kline house on Spring street. Rev. Crittenden has leased a house on Curtin street. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson will move from Petrikin building into the Morrison house on east Bishop street now occupied by the Woodrings. Joseph Lose and his wife are going into the Curry house on east Logan street, and the house they occupy on Water street has been rented by William Royer. Orrie Kline will get possession of the Royer house on east Bishop street and Joseph Beezer has purchased the Runkle property on the same street. George Bartley has bought the house now occupied by the Beezers and S. D. Gettig will move into the house vacated by the Bartleys. John Gross has purchased the Beck property on Methodist Hill and will move his family from his present home on Water street on the 1st. E. M. Huyett, the lumberman, who has made his home in one of the Zeller houses on Howard street for some months moves back to Centre Hall. Dr. and Mrs. Tate are going to housekeeping in one of the flats in Petrikin building; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hindman will move into Mrs. Orbison's house on Curtin street recently vacated by E. M. Greist. Miss Ellen Woods has leased the Miles home on Bishop street and Charles A. Hazel will go to housekeeping in the house she now occupies. Fred Musser will move from the Haupt property on Allegheny Street to the old Hoffer homestead on Logan Street and Dave Flacke family will take apartments in Petrikin Building. Mrs. W. H. Page will occupy part of Mrs. Hibler's house on Allegheny street.

Barred From the Capitol.

Even Uncle Sam has tired of the soloon business and will shut up shop and retire. Through an amendment tacked to the imigration bill, and which will be a law as soon as signed by the president, congress has decreed that henceforth no intoxicating liquors of any kind shall be sold within the capitol building at Washington.

An effort to bring this about has been made for years, but always without success until now. The capitol saloon has been doing business for years and many of the noted men of the country, living and dead, have exchanged repartee and discussed legislation at the bar in the basement of the capitol. The country is to be congratulated, that hereafter there will be no liquor selling in the capitol building, and when Uncle Sam says so he means it, and not even speakeasies will be tolerated. When your Uncle Samuel says the saloon must go, it goes.

THE STOMACH IS THE MAN.

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strenghtens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach trouble.
Parrish's Drug Store.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia
C. M. Parrish

Railroad Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R. AND BRANCHES.
Schedule in effect Feb. 9, 1903.

Via Tyrone—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.20 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m, at Pittsburg 6.55 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 6.50 p m, at Pittsburg 10 45 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.20 p m, at Harrisburg 6.45 p m, at Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 9.45 p m

Via Lock Haven—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, at Buffalo 7.40 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.16 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.15 p m, arrive at Buffalo 7.35 a m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 42.40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.15 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.23 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, leave Williamsport 2.53 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 5.00 p m, Philadelphia 7.32 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.16 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.15 p m, leave Williamsport 1.35 a m, arrive at Harrisburg 4.15 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 7.22 a m

Via Lewisburg.

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.17 p m.
Leave Bellefonte 2.15 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.42, at Harrisburg 6.50 p m, Philadelphia at 10.20 p m

For full information time tables, maps, fare, &c., call on Ticket Agents, or address Thos. E. Watt, Pass. Agent Western District, No. 360 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg.
J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt.
W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, April 3rd, 1899, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD. College Accm. 1† *5	Exp. *2		EASTWARD. Mail. *2	Exp. *4	Accom. 6†
a.m p m	a m Lv		Ar a m	p m	p m
6 30 4 15	10 30	Bellefonte	8 50	2 40	6 40
6 35 4 21	10 37	Coleville	8 40	2 25	6 30
f6 38 f4 25	f10 42	Morris	f 8 37	f2 22	f6 27
f6 43 f4 28	f10 47	Whitmer	f8 35	f2 17	f6 23
f6 46 f4 33	f10 53	Hunters	f8 31	f2 10	f6 21
f6 50 f4 36	f10 56	Filmore	f8 28	f2 06	f6 18
f6 55 f4 40	f11 02	Briarly	f8 24	f2 00	f6 14
7 00 4 43	11 05	Waddle	8 20	1 55	6 10
f7 03 f4 46	f11 08	Lambourn	f8 18	f1 52	f6 07
f7 12 f4 55	f11 20	Krumrine	f8 07	f1 37	f5 52
7 25 5 00	11 15	State College	8 00	1 30	5 45
f7 27 f5 05	f11 24	Struble	f7 45	f1 34	f5 25
f7 31 f5 10		Bloomsdorf	f7 40		f5 20
7 35 5 15		Pine Grv Mills	7 35		5 15

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna R R trains at Bellefonte for points east and west.
"f" stops on flag. †Daily except Sunday.
P. H. THOMAS, Supt

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after Feb. 9, 1903

Westward. 55	53	51		50	52	54	Eastward.
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m	
3 45	12 10	8 55	Lock Haven	10 30	2 10	9 15	
3 51	12 16	9 01	Mill Hall	10 22	2 04	9 09	
4 02	12 26	9 12	Beech Creek	10 11	1 54	8 58	
4 05	12 29	9 15	Eagleville	10 08	1 51	8 55	
4 14	12 38	9 24	Howard	9 59	1 43	8 46	
4 20		9 30	Mount Eagle	9 53	1 38	8 40	
4 25	12 48	9 34	Curtin	9 49	1 34	8 36	
4 32	12 55	9 41	Milesburg	9 41	1 24	8 28	
4 44	1 05	9 58	Bellefonte,	9 32	1 05	8 16	
4 53	1 14	10 01	Milesburg	9 18	1 24	8 08	
4 56	1 22	10 04	Snow Shoe Int	9 15	1 22	8 05	
5 03	1 28	10 11	Unionville	9 07	1 15	7 57	
5 12	1 36	10 20	Julian	8 58	1 08	7 48	
5 21	1 41	10 28	Martha	8 49	1 01	7 39	
5 28	1 50	10 35	Port Matilda	8 42	12 55	7 32	
5 35	1 56	10 41	Hannah	8 35	12 49	7 26	
5 37		10 43	Fowler	8 33		7 23	
5 40	2 00	10 45	Dix	8 30		7 20	
5 46	2 06	10 51	Bald Eagle	8 24	12 39	7 14	
5 50	2 10	10 55	Vail	8 20	12 35	7 10	
5 54	2 14	10 59	East Tyrone	8 16	12 31	7 06	
6 00	2 20	11 05	Tyrone	8 10	12 25	7 00	
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m	

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.

TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD
Time table in effect Feb. 9 1903

NORTHWARD. EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.	SOUTHWARD EXPRESS.	D. EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv Ar	P M	A M	P M
6 50	3 30	8 20	Tyrone	5 55	11 20	5 50
6 56	3 31	8 26	East Ty	8 49	11 14	5 44
6 58		8 28	Tyrone		11 12	5 42
7 01	3 35	8 31	Vail	8 45	11 09	5 39
7 11	3 46	8 42	Vanscoyoc	8 38	11 02	5 32
7 15	3 50	8 47	Gardner	8 35	10 57	5 29
7 24	3 59	8 57	Mt. Pleasant	8 27	10 51	5 21
7 30	4 06	9 05	Summit	8 20	10 44	5 14
7 34	4 10	9 09	Sandy Ridge	8 14	10 38	5 10
7 36	4 12	9 11	Retort	8 11	10 35	5 07
7 38	4 14	9 12	Powelton	8 09	10 33	5 05
7 43	4 24	9 21	Osceola	8 00	10 28	4 57
			Osceola Junct	7 57	10 20	4 52
7 54	4 28	9 26	Boynton	7 54	10 17	4 49
7 58	4 30	9 31	Steiners	7 50	10 13	4 45
8 02	4 35	9 40	Philipsburg	7 46	10 12	4 40
8 06	4 45	9 45	Graham	7 42	10 07	4 35
8 11	4 50	9 50	Blue Ball	7 37	10 02	4 30
8 17	4 46	9 56	Wallaceton	7 32	9 56	4 24
8 22	5 02	10 02	Bigler	7 26	9 50	4 17
8 28	5 08	10 08	Woodland	7 20	9 48	4 10
8 30	5 10	10 11	Mineral Spr'gs	7 17	9 40	4 08
8 34	5 14	10 15	Barrett	7 13	9 36	4 01
8 38	5 18	10 20	Leonard	7 09	9 35	3 56
8 45	5 25	10 26	Clearfield	7 05	9 28	3 50
8 50	5 32	10 32	Riverview	6 55	9 21	3 40
8 56	5 38	10 39	Susque. Bridge	7 04	9 15	3 34
9 00	5 55	10 44	Curwensville	6 45	9 10	3 30
	6 01	10 50	Rustic	6 40		3 15
	6 09	10 58	Stronach	6 34		3 09
	6 18	11 04	Grampian	6 30		3 05
P M	P M	P M	Ar Lv	P M	A M	P M

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD
In effect Feb, 9, 1903.

Westward.			Eastward
p m	a m		a m p m
1 38	8 40	Montandon	9 15 4 50
1 45	8 35	Lewisburg	9 05 4 42
1 57	8 47	Vicksburg	8 53 4 31
2 05	8 55	Mifflinburg	8 45 4 24
2 16	9 07	Millmont	8 33 4 13
2 22	9 13	Glen Iron	8 26 4 08
2 51	9 40	Paddy Mountain	8 00 3 43
3 02	9 50	Coburn	7 50 3 32
3 08	9 57	Zerby	7 43 3 25
3 17	10 05	Rising Spring	7 35 3 17
3 28	10 11	Penns Cave	7 28 3 10
3 30	10 18	Centre Hall	7 22 3 02
3 35	10 24	Gregg	7 17 2 55
3 42	10 31	Linden Hall	7 10 2 48
3 46	10 35	Oak Hall	7 06 2 43
3 50	10 39	Lemont	7 02 2 38
3 54	10 43	Dale Summit	6 57 2 34
4 03	10 52	Pleasant Gap	6 48 2 24
4 06	10 55	Axemann	6 45 2 21
4 19	11 00	Bellefonte	6 40 2 15

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN. No.1	No.5	No.3		No.6	READ UP No.2	No.4
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	Lv. Ar.	p.m	a.m.	p.m
†7 00	†6 45	†2 40	Bellefonte	9 25	9 55	8 15
7 11	6 56	2 51	High	9 12	9 22	5 02
7 16	7 01	2 56	Zion	9 06	9 16	4 56
7 23	7 07	3 03	Hecla Park	9 00	9 10	4 50
7 25	7 09	3 05	Dunkles	8 58	9 07	4 48
7 29	7 13	3 09	Hublersburg	8 54	9 03	4 44
7 33	7 17	3 13	Snydertown	8 50	8 59	4 40
7 35	7 19	3 15	Nittany	8 47	8 56	4 37
7 37	7 21	3 17	Huston	8 44	8 53	4 34
7 41	7 25	3 21	Lamar	8 41	8 50	4 31
7 43	7 27	3 23	Clintondale	8 38	8 47	4 28
7 47	7 31	3 27	Krider's S'n'g	8 33	8 43	4 23
7 51	7 35	3 31	Mackeyville	8 28	8 38	4 18
7 57	7 41	3 37	Cedar Springs	8 22	8 32	4 12
8 00	7 44	3 40	Salona	8 22	8 30	4 10
8 05	7 50	3 45	Mill Hall	†8 15	†8 25	†4 05
			(NEW YORK CENT.) Jersey Shore	7 40		3 22
11 45	8 40		Arr (WM'PORT) Lve	†7 10		†2 50
12 20	9 10		Lve (WM'PORT) Arr	7 00		2 30
12 29	11 30		(PHILA AND READING RY)			
7 30	6 50		PHILA	11 36		†8 36
10 40	29 02		NEW YORK (Via Phila)	27 30		†4 00
p.m.			Ar. Lv.	p.m.		a.m

*Daily. † Week Days. ‡ 6 00 p. m. Sunday ‡ 10 55 a. m. Sunday.

Philadelphia Sleeping Car attached to East bound train from Williamsport at 11.30 p m and west-bound from Philadelphia a 11 36 p. m.

J. W. GEPHART,
General Superintendent

THREE MINERS KILLED

Crushed to Death by Runaway Cars in Mine at South Fork, Pa.

TEN INJURED; ONE FATALLY

Men Were Riding to Surface, When Coupling Broke and They Were Hurled to Their Death—Buried Beneath Wreckage.

Johnstown, Pa., March 20. — The breaking of a coupling, followed by the run-a-way of a string of loaded coal cars, in the Sunshine mine at South Fork, this county, yesterday afternoon, caused the death of three men, the fatal injury of one, and more or less serious injuries to nine others.

The dead are: Anthony Border, who leaves a family; Joe S. Strank and Frank McClain.

The injured are: —— Coolbaugh, spine injured and breast crushed, will die; Albert Paul, arm, leg and collar-bone broken, serious; William Parker, crushed about head and body, will recover.

A half-dozen others, whose names could not be ascertained, were badly bruised.

The accident occurred about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon as the men were leaving the mine. A trip of about 25 loaded cars were being hauled to the surface by an endless chain. When the cars left the center of the mine 15 or more men climbed aboard. All went well until the trip reached a "dip" about 100 yards from the mouth of the mine. The dilly climbed three-fourths of the steep grade in safety, but when a short distance from the level track the hitching between the second and third cars broke. Instantly the slope was filled with the shouts of the men, as all of the cars with the exception of the first two commenced to back down the grade. Slowly at first, but with greatly increasing speed, the dilly sped downwards, giving the men scarcely an opportunity to jump and save themselves. When about 200 yards from where the hitching broke, the foremost car left the track and the remainder of the trip piled up back of it.

Those who had been fortunate enough to jump from the run-a-way cars quickly ran to the outside and told of the accident. Help was quickly rushed to the men buried beneath the immense pile of wreckage which filled the six-foot heading for a distance of 20 yards. The first man found was Strank, who was horribly mutilated. Border and McClain were the next taken out, the former dead, but McClain lived in agony for about two hours.

COAL MINE IN FLAMES

Four Men Missing and 78 Horses Suffocated In Nova Scotia Colliery.

Sydney, N. S., March 20.—As the result of an explosion, followed by fire, in Dominion No. 1 colliery at Glace Bay, C. B., yesterday, four men are missing, 78 horses were suffocated by fire damp and property estimated at $500,000 was destroyed. The fan shaft in the mine broke Wednesday night, and a large number of the men left the mine, while others, who did not anticipate any danger, remained at work. A great quantity of bad gases soon accumulated, and yesterday when the first shot was fired an explosion occurred, and in an instant that part of the mine burst into flames.

As it was between shifts, only a few men were in the mine at the time. They all made a wild rush for the mouth of the pit, and all but four of them succeeded in reaching it before the deadly fire damp overtook them. On the way some of them seized the horses and galloped at full speed to the opening, warning others of the danger as they proceeded along. A strong effort was made to get the horses out, but only 12 were removed alive.

Domestic Quarrel Ends Fatally.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 20. — Mrs. Catharine Schoonover, of Allegheny, is dead, and her husband, Douglass H. Schoonover, is in the hospital, badly burned about the hands and face, but will recover. Schoonover's story to the police of the trouble leading up to the tragedy is that he came home for supper last night from his work and was accused by his wife of infidelity. He says that after he had listened to her talk for some time he told her to shut up. This angered her and she picked up a lamp as if to throw it at him. The lamp exploded, and the burning oil set fire to the woman's clothing. Schoonover says he tried to extinguish the flames, but his wife was dead before he succeeded.

One pound of sheep's wool is capable of producing one yard of cloth.

A hearty appetite does not always indicate a hearty condition. It is not the quanity of food which iseaten but the quanity which is assimilated, which determines the actual value of the food consumed. If the and organs of digestion and nutrition cannot convert the food into nourishment, and into blood, then the food is an injury instead of a benefit. For all disorders of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, there is a certain remedy in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It removes clogging obstructions. It strengthens the stomach nourishes the nerves, enriches the blood and builds up the body. It is a flesh-forming, muscle making preparation, making firm flesh instead of flabby fat. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whiskey or intoxicant of any kind, and is equally free from opium, cocaine and all narcotics.

AGAINST CHRISTIANITY

Chaffee Never Met Intelligent Chinaman Who Desired Our Religion.

New York, March 21.—Major General A. R. Chaffee told the members of the Methodist Social Union at the Hotel Savoy last night that he never had met an intelligent Chinaman who expressed any desire to embrace the Christian religion.

General Chaffee and Rev. Dr. E. E. Gamewell, one of the field missionaries in China at the time of the Boxer troubles, and who was of much assistance at the defense of the American legation, were announced as the speakers at the meeting. General Chaffee's subject was "The Philippines and China."

After reviewing the events in China at the time of the uprising, General Chaffee praised the work of the missionaries in the Orient very highly. "They are all in earnest and hopeful," he declared, "but the results of their work are not proportionate to the great labor of love. They have done all that is possible, but the burden is too great for them. I took occasion to meet many of the most prominent Chinamen while in Pekin, and I talked to many of the better class. These included officials. I must say that I did not meet a single intelligent Chinaman who expressed a desire to embrace the Christian religion. The masses are against Christianity, but the missionaries are hopeful and no doubt courageous. Forty or 50 missionaries in that great country cannot do much."

Dr. Gamewell admitted that the situation was as General Chaffee said it was, but he hoped that much good would result from the increased missionary work in China. "The hope of China," he declared, "lies in the education of her young men."

STEAMERS COLLIDE IN FOG

Plymouth Run Down In Long Island Sound and Six Persons Killed.

New London, Conn., March 21. — Traveling at a moderate rate of speed through Long Island Sound early yesterday morning, the big passenger steamer Plymouth, of the Fall River line, bound for Fall River from New York, and the freight steamer City of Taunton, of the same line, came into collision in the fog just east of Plum Island, the bow of the freight steamer raking the starboard side of the Plymouth and causing the death of six of those on board the Plymouth, and serious injury to a number of others. Of the dead only one was a passenger.

The responsibility for the accident has not been determined, and will be the subject of an investigation. The steamers apparently were under good headway when they met, the bow of the City of Taunton, which was proceeding toward the west, bound from Fall River to New York, penetrating 10 feet into the hull of the east-bound passenger steamer. As the vessels pulled apart the bow of the freight steamer raked the upper works of the Plymouth, tearing out the second cabin and ripping out staterooms like cardboard. Seven cabins in all were swept from the starboard bow of the big passenger boat.

A rumor was current in this city that several Italian workmen, who were steerage passengers on the Plymouth, were missing. These men were in the deck cabin on the starboard side, and the Taunton's bow crashed through that compartment like a knife through paper.

CRUM AND BYRNE REAPPOINTED

President Again Names Officers Who Failed of Confirmation.

Washington, March 21.—The president yesterday reappointed Dr. W. D. Crum, colored, collector of customs at Charleston, S. C., and William M. Byrnes, United States district attorney for Delaware. Both of these nominations failed of confirmation at the recent session of the senate.

It will be necessary for these appointments to be acted upon by the senate at the next session, but in the meantime both Crum and Byrne will hold office under the appointment made yesterday.

Venezuela Offers France $200,000.

Paris, March 21—The French government has received a definite offer of $209,000 from Venezuela as a settlement of all claims of France prior to 1892. The purpose of the offer is to avoid further arbitration of these claims, which originally amounted to considerably more than the sum offered. The whole amount will be paid when notice of France's acceptance, which is not yet given, is received.

Senators Call On President.

Washington, March 21. — Nearly a quorum of the senate was at the White House yesterday. Many of the senators called merely to pay their respects to the president before leaving the city, while some of them wished to discuss appointments to office. Details of the approaching western trip were discussed with a few senators from the section of the country through which the president will journey.

Expect Unassailable Treaty.

Havana, March 21.—The disappointment caused here by the news of the adoption of the United States senate committee's amendments to the Cuban reciprocity treaty, and by the prospect of further delay, have been superceded by expectation that the eventual outcome will be an unassailable treaty, helpful on the whole to the interests of both countries.

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CUBAN TREATY RATIFIED

After Many Delays the Reciprocity Measures Goes Through.

THE SENATE THEN ADJOURNED

The Motion to Ratify Was Adopted By a Vote of 50 to 16, More Than Enough to Secure a Ratification—All Committee Amendments Adopted.

Washington, March 20.—After ratifying the Cuban reciprocity treaty, the senate adjourned sine die, yesterday at 5.15 o'clock. Practically the entire day was spent behind closed doors in executive session. Most of the time was devoted to consideration of the Cuban treaty. Several speeches were made in opposition to the treaty and one in favor of it, and then promptly at the agreed hour—3 o'clock—voting began. Roll calls were had on a number of amendments, and the treaty itself was made the subject of an aye and no vote. The motion to ratify was adopted by a ballot of 50 to 16, somewhat more than a three-fourths vote, whereas only a two-thirds vote was necessary to secure ratification.

Speeches in opposition to the treaty were made by Senators Foster, Berry and Carmack, while Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, spoke in support of it. Before the voting commenced the committee on foreign relations announced through Senator Cullom, its chairman, the acceptance of two amendments in addition to those already recommended by the committee. The first of those was the amendment decreasing the rate of reduction on flour, cornmeal and corn imported into Cuba from the United States. The amendment provides for a reduction of 30 per cent.

The other amendment adopted fixed a uniform reduction of 30 per cent. on American cotton goods imported into Cuba. The other committee amendments, including the amendment making the approval of the entire congress necessary to render the treaty effective, then were adopted.

After the committee amendments had been accepted the Democrats offered a number of amendments, but they were all voted down by a strict party vote. The vote was then taken on the motion to ratify, and was adopted, 50 to 16.

The vote in detail was as follows:

Yeas—Aldrich, Alger, Allee, Allison, Ankeny, Bacon, Ball, Beveridge, Blackburn, Burnham, Burrows, Burton, Clark (Wyo.), Cockrell, Cullom, Depew, Dietrich, Dolliver, Dryden, Elkins, Fairbanks, Foraker, Foster (Wash.), Frye, Fulton, Gallinger, Gamble, Gorman, Hanna, Hansbrough, Heyburn, Hopkins, Kean, Latimer, Lodge, Long, McComas, McCreary, McCumber, Nelson, Overman, Penrose, Perkins, Simmons, Smoot, Spooner, Stewart, Stone, Warren, Wetmore—total, 50.

Nays—Bailey, Bard, Bate, Berry, Carmack, Clark (Mont.), Daniel, Foster (La.), McEnery, Mallory, Martin, Money, Morgan, Newlands, Pettus, Tillferro—total, 16.

PALMA IS PLEASED

Cuban President Delighted at Ratification of Reciprocity Treaty.

Havana, March 20—President Palma yesterday was shown a dispatch giving the news of the ratification by the United States senate of the Cuban reciprocity treaty. He expressed his gratification at this action, and added that the number of yeas was not greater than he had anticipated. He said that while the news of an earlier special session of the house would be welcome, the reported intention of President Roosevelt to call a special session in the autumn would allow the treaty the desired opportunity for discussion and action.

The action of the senate renews the hopes of business men here that a satisfactory arrangement of rates and duties eventually will be reached. The conclusion of a permanent treaty awaits only the decision of the United States government as to whether or not it will claim sovereignty over the Isle of Pines. There is no doubt here that the sovereignty of Cuba will be conceded.

St. Vincent Volcano Active.

Kingstown, St. Vincent, March 23.—The eruption of La Soufriere, which began Saturday, continued and increased in activity during the night until it became most violent yesterday morning. At 8.30 yesterday morning its violence was unabated, and the spectacle was awe-inspiring. The crater is belching forth dense black clouds, which rise heavenwards, accompanied by loud roaring and flames, which rend the spreading pall of smoke which now envelops the entire island in darkness. Electrical discharges occurred at intervals during the night, while at daybreak the sunlight playing on the stupendous volcanic clouds produced exceedingly beautiful effects.

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GUARDING STRIKE REPORT

All Members of the Commission Pledged to Secrecy.

Washington, March 20.—Extraordinary precautions have been taken to prevent premature publication of the report of the anthracite coal strike commission. All members and employes of the commission are pledged to secrecy in the matter, and there is little chance of the findings becoming known before the date set for their promulgation—tomorrow. Carroll D. Wright, recorder of the commission, will at that time furnish copies to representatives of the press in Washington.

This is the president's own plan, his intention being to mail copies of the report to President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, and to the representatives of the operators, so that they will reach their destination at about the same time as the report is made public in Washington.

The members of the commission absolutely refuse to discuss the various forecasts of their findings printed yesterday, further than to say that they are the result of pure guess work. It is stated on authority that as yet there has been no leak, despite the many efforts by newspaper correspondents and others to obtain an inkling of the verdict.

MISS ROOSEVELT AT SAN JUAN

Holds Informal Public Reception. Great Festivities Planned.

San Juan, P. R., March 20.—Miss Alice Roosevelt landed here yesterday morning from the steamer Coamo, from New York, March 14. She was met by Governor Hunt and his family and was driven to the palace, where she afterwards held an informal public reception.

Miss Roosevelt received the citizens' committtee in public today and will attend the citizens' reception at the theatre this evening, when there will be a display of fireworks and a demonstration in her honor. Many invitations have been issued by the governor for an entertainment tomorrow. On Wednesday Miss Roosevelt will leave San Juan on an inland trip, during which she will visit the principal plantations and cities. The inhabitants of Ponce have made extensive preparations to receive Miss Roosevelt, several thousand dollars having been raised by public subscription for that purpose.

Won Prizes at Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., March 20.—The following awards were made yesterday in the annual Baird prize oratorical contest for seniors: Baird oratorical prize of $100, C. C. Hewitt, Trenton, N. J.; oratorical prize of $50, A. J. Byles, Titusville, Pa.; oratorical prize of $30, Robert Candee, Chicago; disputation, first prize, R. B. Reed, Clearfield, Pa.; second prize, $30, F. H. Little, Sussex, N. J.; poetry prize, $50, P. P. Hybben, Indianapolis, Ind.

President Wants No Guard.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 20.—Senator Warren yesterday wired the committee at Laramie that President Roosevelt desired to make the horseback ride over Sherman mountain practically alone. Senator Warren, Otto Gramm, of Laramie, and perhaps two others, will accompany the president, but he wants no body guard, either of troops or cowboys.

What Makes Things Grow.

According to Maurice Springer, a French writer on the subject, the energy of growth is closely related to electric energy and may be identical with it. At any rate, growth energy is closely connected with the phenomenon called osmosis—that is, molecular pressure due to differences of density in adjacent liquid masses. Such molecular pressure in the cells of the body he believes to be the phenomenon that underlies the multiplication of these cells in growth, and osmosis has been shown by experiment to be closely connected with electricity. The writer referred to believes that we shall soon be able to measure growth energy as we now do heat or electricity and perhaps control it so as to produce tall or short families or races at our pleasure.—Success.

Cornell Fencers Defeat Penn.

Ithaca, N. Y., March 21.—The fencing meet here last night between Pennsylvania and Cornell was won by Cornell, with a score of 6 to 3. All bouts were closely contested, but Cornell won the first five. Pennsylvania then captured two. The last bout between Blount, of Cornell, and Knipe, of Pennsylvania, resulted first in a tie and then was won by Blount.

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When considering the matter of Insurance in any form, you can make your wishes known by addressing me by card, by telephone, or calling personally at my office, 2nd floor Bush Arcade, Bellefonte, Pa., and I will promptly supply you with the necessary information and data.

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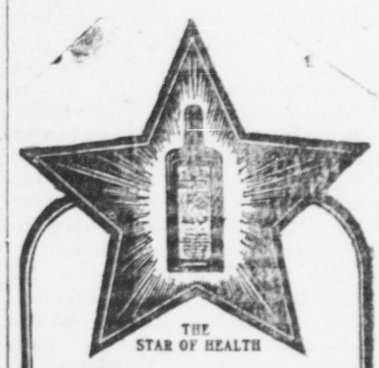

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In another column will be found the card of Colonel Wilbur F. Reeder announcing himself a candidate for delegate to the next Republican State Convention.

Colonel Reeder, although one of the most active and successful workers for the advancement of the Republican party, has never had the honor of representing this county in a State convention, and it would be but a fitting acknowledgment of appreciation for his untiring labors as Chairman of the Republican County Committee, to send him as one of the delegates to that body.

He is certainly entitled to some recognition for valuable services rendered the party, and it would be no more than a graceful act to compliment him in this manner.

Colonel Reeder is not an officeholder, and would, therefore, be in a position to represent us untrammeled by any obligations to any man or clique, who might attempt to influence him in voting against the sentiments of his party, upon any measure or resolution.

Always loyal to his party, he has borne the "heat and burden of the day" in many of the most bitterly contested campaigns of the county and state, contributing always liberally of his means and time, in order to attain success.

We believe the Republicans of Centre county appreciate his labors and devotion to party interests in the past and will extend to him, at the meeting of the county convention, the well deserved compliment of a unanimous vote, to represent us at the convention to be held at Harrisburg.

As Centre county is entitled to two delegates it will be necessary to select a colleague to be fully represented No one has been announced thus far, although we understand there is a strong sentiment in favor of Eli Townsend, Esq., of Philipsburg, who if chosen, would, we believe, be very acceptable to the members of our party.

The Woman in Black not a Myth.

Many of our citizens have formed an idea that the "Woman in Black," of whom so much has been said and written, did not exist, except in the minds of timid people.

We have made a most thorough investigation of the matter, and are satisfied beyond a doubt, that a woman or man, dressed in womans attire, wearing a black dress, black hat, and black veil, is abroad on our streets at unseemly hours, for what purpose she makes the nocturnal tour of the town is beyond our ken.

Last Monday night a young man residing on West High Street was returning home about (twelve o'clock), when he saw her standing on the walk opposite P. Gray Meeks printing office. Instead of passing her, our informant thinking "discretion the better part of valor," crossed to the opposite side of the street, and ran as fast as his legs would carry him. He stopped at the Bush House office, and being reinforced, went out to see what had become of the lady, but she had vanished, probably going somewhere else to frighten some innocent and unsuspecting man.

If you want to interview the young man, he can be found at home near the extreme west end of High Street, any evening after dark. No more late hours for him, he says.

RESPONSIBILITY.

Few people take a just view of responsibility, or appreciate its meaning, its obligations, or its missions. It is neither an honor to be struggled for nor a burden to be shuned. Neither in one way nor the other does it lend itself to the selfish instincts of man. It exists, not for pleasure or the pain of the individual, but for the welfare of the community. What the world needs, what every organization needs, what every family needs, is that each individual shall fill the niche, and perform the work, and bear the responsibilities for which he is best fitted, whether we are pleased to call the post high or low, humble or honorable.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

—Miss Lizzie Grassmire an elderly resident of Bellefonte has been taken to the Bellefonte Hospital. She is suffering from appendicitis.

—Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

—Mrs. Ellen Foley of Lewistown aged 78 years died at that place on Tuesday the 10inst. The deceased was a sister of Edward Brown Sr. of this town.

—Liquor licenses were granted to George Doll, of the Brant House, and John Mulfinger, of Spring township. All the other applicants were refused.

—Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

—George Beezer is making some extension repairs to the Livery Stable recently purchased from James H. Potter. He will increase the size and make it modern in every particular.

—Joseph Brothers are making some extensive repairs and additions to their already large store room, which will give much additional space for their large and increasing business.

—The Burdick mystery at Buffalo still baffles the authorities who are trying to unravel it. There is no doubt that Burdick was murdered, but who committed the act is the question.

—Sunday morning, March 15, at the Lutheran parsonage at Aaronsburg, by the Rev. B. R. M. Sheeder, Albert Miles Arney, of State College, and Sydnia May Gramley, of Aaronsburg, were united in matrimony.

—On Wednesday, March 11, at the home of the bride's father, Henry Kreamer, Aaronsburg, Pa., Charles F. Davis, of Butler, Pa., and Miss Effie M. Kreamer were united in marriage by the Rev. B. R. M. Sheeder.

—The Bituminous Coal Operators and Miners have not come to terms, and the Conference at Altoona has come to a dead-lock. We wonder whether it is a scheme to keep up the price of coal.

—Although a little early in the season we notice many wagon loads of house hold effects flitting through town, which is an indication that a great many changes will occur among our inhabitants this spring.

—Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems especially adapted to the needs of the children. Pleasant to take; soothing in its influence. It is the remedy of all remedies for every form of throat and lung disease.

—The ornamental statuary and bric-a-brac which decorates the front of the Court House is already in position for the season. The weather has become so pleasant there is little danger of it being injured by the exposure.

—We failed to notice the return from New York last Saturday, of Miss M. Snyder who had gone to that city, to purchase the very latest styles of Millinery which can now be seen at her establishment on Bishop street.

—Mrs. Odelia Mott offers at private sale at her residence on High Street, the following: One range excellent condition, one childs crib and mattress, one white enameled childs coach, lot of screens for doors and windows lot of awnings.

—A foreign woman who resides at one of the mines near windber recently placed currency amounting to about $200 in the kitchen stove for safe keeping during the night. Next morning without thinking she built a fire in the stove and the money was not thought of until it was consumed.

—Ours is a great country. In Bellefonte over coats have been discarded and people walk on the shady side of the street. Whilst in Denver, Cheyenne, and Salt Lake City, they Wednesday experienced the worst snow storm and blizzard of the season and stock dealers suffered enormous losses.

—Ed. Eckenroth has just swung to the breeze, in front of his Wall Paper Store, a handsome sign. It is in the shape of a palette finely painted and calling attention to the wares sold inside. Ed. is progressive and believes in advertising, his idea being to keep Ed. Eckenroth's establishment to the front.

—The fakir who was offering jewelry and fine diamond rings on the public square last night, did not appear to do a flourishing business. The crowd would not enthuse, and he was forced to close up shop for want of customers. If our people have money to spend, let them patronize home merchants, and not be duped by every peddler who bobs up.

—Centre county sportsmen are congratulating themselves on final and complete defeat of the new Brinkerhoff game bill, which was accomplished in the House at Harrisburg Tuesday afternoon. Although some of the most dangerous features of the proposed law had been eliminated by amendment during its passage through the House, in the opinion of local sportsmen enough remained in the bil to justify its killing as the best method of preserving our present admirable game law, which has given satisfaction to all. The open season will therefore remain as present, from October 15 to December 15.

—In New York City 100 cases of consumption develop each day.

—Niagara is worth $1,000,000,000 as a source of electrical power.

—German investments in Brazil are said to aggregate more than $150,000,000.

—A complete outfit for wireless telegraphy has been sent to Cuba by Marconi.

—The grand jury of Cook county (Chicago) reports an alarming increase in the sale of cocaine

—A regular professorship of railroading is to be created at the Technical High School of Berlin.

—The highest mountain in the moon is at least 35,000 feet; that is 6,000 feet higher than Mount Everest.

—The habit of talking to one self results from intense preoccupation. It is the initial symptom of dementia.

—The solo rendered by Miss Ella Twitmire in Methodist church was fine. She never sang sweeter nor with more expression.

—The Millheim water company will make application to the governor of Pennsylvania on April 7th next for the granting of a charter.

—John Lehman, son of F. X. Lehman, who formerly resided in Bellefonte was killed in a mine near Patton last Thursday. The young man was aged about 16 years.

—There is to be a magnificent French exhibit at the St. Louis exposition; but Chicago is confident that, after seeing St. Louis, France will be wholly reconciled to Napoleon's sale of Louisiana.—Detroit Free Press.

—The advocates of the mountain laurel for the state flower of Massachusetts have made out a good case, although some outside barbarians may suggest that the bean blossom would be more appropriate —Boston Globe.

—Governor Pennypacker has thus far in his administration won the admiration of the people by vetoing a number of obnoxious bills passed by the legislature. If the governor shall continue to kill the snakes that have been secreted in legislative bills he will gain the respect of every honest citizen in the state.

—Trailing arbutus, the most beautiful and fragrant of spring flowers, is already in the bud, and should the present mild weather continue a few days longer it is pretty safe to predict that the hills and dales where it abounds in the vicinity of town will be pretty thoroughly scoured by those who find pleasure in searching for it.

—John T. Fisher of Blanchard, a short time ago leased a mine, which was abandoned some 35 years ago, 6 miles back of Beech Creek. The prospect for coal not being favorable. Mr. Fisher went deeper last fall, and struck a four and a half foot vein of excellent bituminous coal, and will have quite a good thing out of his lease.

—The spring days are fast approaching, and a general clean-up of the streets, alleys and back-yards should be begun. The accumulation of ashes, rubbish, decaying vegetables and refuse are a constant menace to the health of the public, unless removed before the warm weather approaches. Our borough "dads" should see that the cleaning process is promptly attended to.

—Easter day this year will be neither very early nor very late—April 12. The earliest date on which Easter can possibly fall is March 22, but this has not occurred since 1818, and will not again occur until the year 2000 has been left behind. The latest day for Easter is April 25. This was the date in 1886 and will be again in 1943. April 12 is quite a favorite day for Easter. Besides in 1903, it will occur in 1914, 1925, 1936 and 1998—five times in one century. Good Friday falls on April 10and Whit Sunday on May 31.

—A few days ago, some wretch entered the office of Geo, B. Klump M. D. on High St. and appropriated the Doctors bank book containing sixty dollars in good clean cash. The deed was committed during the absence of the Dr. who had stepped into another room for a few minutes leaving the bank book with the money on his desk. The identity of the thief is unknown but we hope by some means, he will be apprehended and brought to justice.

—Mr. F. H. Thomas Supt. of the Bellefonte Central Railroad has received a fountain pen, the gift of Mr. Robert Frazier president of the road. It is something new and novel, and of singular device, unlike the ordinary fountain pen which writes but one color, this one will write black, red, and blue, or any color without the least trouble. It is an interesting piece of mechanism and Mr. Thomas will take pleasure in showing it to any who may ask to see it.

—Boyd A. Musser who for many years has been a resident of Bellefonte has entered the service of the York Bridge Co., and after April 1st, will become a citizen of York, Pa., having charge of the offices of that large and prosperous manufacturing concern. He has disposed of his Insurance business to Mr. Samuel Goss who will continue on in the same office. We are sorry to lose Boyd from our midst, as he is a good citizen and neighbor, a wide awake business man, and an all around fine fellow. We wish him success in his new venture

—Simeon Haupt, the veteran Court Messenger, has been confined to bed the past week with a severe attack of cold.

—Ellis L. Orvis and family, who have been boarding at the Bush House, have removed to their delightful home on Linn street.

—The missing link from Fashoda to Ujiji, in the telegraph line from Cape Town to Cairo, will be supplied by wireless instruments.

—Engineers of the French army are using successfully, between Martinique and Guadeloupe, a wireless telegraph system of their own invention.

—Dr. M. I Kirk has purchased from the Thomas Meyers estate the building on East High Street known as the old Methodist Church. It will be converted nto dwellings.

—The death sentence of Murderer John Gulick of Northumberland county has been commuted by the State Board of Pardons and he will spend the rest of his days in the penitentiary.

—J. A. B. Miller E-q., is recovering from a severe attack of grip. Between appendicitis and la grippe, Attorney Miller has had plenty to occupy his mind. By his latest report he is still on top.

—It is reported that Wm. J. Singer, Esq., who went to New York a short time ago for medical treatment, is in a dangerous condition, and there is some doubt expressed about his recovery.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has issued orders prohibiting the turning of seats in day coaches. This will change the manners of some travellers, but it will be for the better accommodation of travellers in general.

—An offer has been made by the Hamilton & Lake Erie Power Company to the Mayor of Toronto to deliver 30,000 horse power of electrical energy in Toronto at $20 per horse power a year.

—Great efforts have been made in Southern California to produce tea, silk, opium and perfumery, and although the climate fosters the most satisfactory growth of the necessary plants each has failed because the high price of labor makes the crop unremunerative.

—Constans Commandery, No. 33, Knights Templar, are making arrangements for their annual installation of officers. On this occasion the Sir Knights will have the privilege of inviting their wives and ladies to this interesting ceremony.

—The Ladies Aid Society assisted by the primary department of the Sunday School, will give an entertainment in the Lecture room of the Methodist church, this Thursday evening, to which every one is invited, after the entertainment ice cream, cake, and coffee will beserved. Price of admission 10 and 15 cents. It is needless to add that a good time can be expected.

—Rev, H. C. Holloway D. D. preached his fifth anniversary sermon in the Lutheran Church Sunday. During these five years the membership of the church has increased over one hundred per cent., and the affairs of the congregation are in an excellent condition. Dr. Holloway is a faithful and hard working pastor, and greatly beloved by his people and the public in general.

—A large number of persons went to the Salvation Army Hall on Saturday night, drawn through curiosity to witness the giving away of the baby, which event had been advertised in our columns last week. The baby was there, but was not taken from its parents and given to any person, it was simply baptized and given to the Lord. The ceremony was impressive and much more satisfactory to the audience, than if it had been as many supposed.

—A number of people of Sunbury, Danville and other towns were recently swindled by two men who represented themselves as representatives of Harper Bros. and solicited subscriptions for the Harper periodicals, with a bound set of Kipling's works as a premium, all for the price of the magazine or weekly alone. They collected four dollars from each subscriber, when it was learned afterward that they were acting without the publishers' authority.

—Cyrus Cryder, a well known citizen of Salona, was exhibiting in town today an egg which is a remarkable specimen of hen fruit. The egg in question was the 100th laid by a Plymouth Rock hen Mr. Cryder had kept the tally and knew the exact number the hen had laid. The Plymouth Rock biddy, however, evidently did not know that Mr. Cryder kept the tally and the egg he exhibited had the figures 100 on the shell. The figures were in relief and stood out plainly so that any one could read them.—Lock Haven express.

—Little Davenport Brown has entirely recovered from his attack of scarlet fever and his father, Rev. George Israel Brown, who was so suddenly compelled to leave the house a few weeks ago, will have the opportunity of returning. We venture to say the first thing Rev. Brown does will be to hunt up his barrel of sermons which have had a chance to rest, just at the time when he wanted them so badly. While it was hard on Mr. Brown, the members of his parish have had the benefit of listening to "bran new" sermons all this time. It's an ill wind, etc.

—Miss Marie L. White who has been confined to her room by an attack of la grippe has so far recovered as to be able to resume her duties as stenographer in Col. W. F. Reedere office.

—There have been no new cases of small-pox reported at Jersey Shore and the health authorities of that town are congratulating themselves that this loathsome disease will soon be eliminated from that place.

—J. B. Roan, of Benner twp., will quit farming this year, and after his sale, on March 30th, will turn the farm over to his son in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Roan expect to take a trip through the south and will visit friends in Texas.

—Rev. C. H. Goodling, for four years pastor of the Lewistown church, was appointed with H. C. Walker to the White Deer charge in Williamsport district. The Rev. formerly was pastor of the Centre Hall and the Bellefonte charges.

—The Monterey, Mexico, steel plant, with a capital of about $4,000,000 gold, in which several wealthy Americans are largely interested, started working on the first of March. It is expected to produce 300 tons a day.

—Ex-Sheriff Brungart, who assisted Sheriff Hugh S. Taylor since January as Deputy Sheriff has resigned the position during the past week. He had expected to travel for Osborne Binder Co., but gave that up to superintend E. M. Huyett's lumber operation at Mingoville.

—The Burgess of Renova has put a stop to the slot machines in that town. He simply served notice on those who maintained them that their removal would save trouble. It is unnecessary to add they were removed The slot machine has had its day, and no town having any regard for its morals will permit it.

—The Patton Courier figures out that in refusing a nine hour day at the Altoona conference on a basis of $2.70 a day and insisting upon an eight hour day on a basis of $2.56 a day, on a tonnage of 2-000,000 tons annually, the miners of this district voted to relinquish $1,100,000 in wages annually to enforce an eight hour day.

—The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are conducting a sewing class which is largely attended by young girls who are anxious to learn this important accomplishment. This is practical instruction, and a vast amount of good will be accomplished by those who sacrifice time and convenience to devote their time to this laudable work.

—A telegram from Punxsutawney says: Belle Sutter, aged 24, a domestic, took her life Saturday by drowning in Stump creek, near Big Run. Disappointment in love is said to have prompted the deed. When the body was recovered a note bearing the words "I am going to commit suicide, my funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock," was found pinned to the sleeve of her cloak.

—A. L. Robinson, a fireman on one of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad through freights, had a leg broken at Curwensville in a rather peculiar manner Friday morning. He had been doing some work in the smoke box of the locomotive and when done swung the door shut. For some reason it came off its hinges and dropped on his leg, snapping the bone.

—Clearfield Republican: 'Squire Henry Hurd, the oldest tax collector in the county, came down from Chest township Monday to transact business with the commissioners. Mr. Hurd is in his 86th year, but is as vigorous of mind and body as the ordinary man of 60. It is doubtful if there is an octegenarian in the county who has enjoyed life better than has 'Squire Hurd, and his thousands of friends hope he may round out a full century.

—Deputy Int. Rev. Collector Geo. W. Rees went to Lock Haven Thursday to look after some chaps who have been violating Uncle Sam's laws by selling whiskey without a license. When will the people of Lock Haven learn to behave themselves, and not give this trouble to our Government officials. Lock Havenites always had an idea they were a law into themselves, but that was before Geo. W. Rees commenced looking after federal affairs in their little borough, things are different now.

—A few years ago the United States Fish Commissioners were breeding carp and distributing the spawn all over the country, and now the one effort everywhere is to exterminate the carp. A few months ago a lake in New Jersey was drawn off to get rid of the carp summarily. Now the Park Commission is likely to accept an offer to get rid of the carp in the Schuylkill. The carp were introduced as a cheap food but cheap food is not what the American people are after. They want something more palatable and wholesome.

—Rev. F. C. Cowper Rector of St. John's Church Huntingdon and of Trinity church Tyrone, preached in St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church, Bellefonte Tuesday. Rev. Cowper has the misfortune of being successor to that "wolf in sheeps clothing," Yclept Irvine, who caused such trouble in this diocese last year. Fortunately for the church at large, and Huntingdon in particular, he has been deposed from the ministry, and under the ministration of Rev. Cowper the work in that field is showing gratifying results.

—Archibald Allison, after being confined to bed for six long weeks, is at last able to hobble around the house with the aid of crutches. Thus far he has had but three pairs sent him, by as many kind friends, but as he moves about with such vigor (to say nothing of grace) the supply will not last long, so if any of our readers have any they do not need it would be a kindness to send them to him.

—The most wonderful farm in the world is situated in Canada. Its peculiarity lies in the fact that everything is worked by electricity. Two waterfalls within the bounds of the farm, sixty feet and 180 feet high, furnish the motive power, a central power house being erected near, and the current is transmitted by wires to every place on the farm. The churns and other necessary implements have electric motor attachments. A motor of ten horse power works the mowing machine and another works a log saw: while the house, barns and grounds of the farm are illuminated by electricity. The owner declares that he saves some $2,500 in labor annually.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the past week by Recorder Jno. C. Rowe:

Grant S. Peifer et ux to Mrs. Emma N. Smith, July 18, 1889, land in Bellefonte, for $300.

Anna Mary Norman to Augustus V. Smith et al, Nov. 11. 1886, land in Bellefonte, for $1,800.

Joseph Hoy, Sr., et al to Joseph Corl et ux, March 9, 1903, land in State College borough, for $650.

Austin Hoover et ux to John F. Holt, Oct. 29, 1902, land in Union twp, for $555.50.

R. E. Munson et al to Emma G. Gray, March 10, 1903, land in Philipsburg, for $1.00.

Catharine F. McElvain to Pauline Bronoll, March 13, 1903, land in Boggs twp, for $100.

S. Ellen Shivery et baron to D. F. Lauck, March 12, 1903, land in State College borough, for $4,000.

Mrs. Christina Cramer to David Tressler, Jr., March 19, 1903, land in Ferguson twp, for $725.

O. L. Schoonover to Charles Anderson, Sept. 22, 1902, land in Rush twp, for $100.

William Freeze to Ferd Freeze, Jan. 13, 1903, land in Snow Shoe twp, for $75.

Samuel Hoover et ux to Joseph Goss et al, Feb. 27, 1903, land in Taylor twp, for $500.

David W. Stover's Ex'r to Alice J. Stover, Dec. 13, 1902, land in Haines twp, for $660.

Samuel Condo et ux to George Rupp, March 21, 1874, land in Aaronsburg, for $160.

Ellsworth J. Ebbs et ux to Mrs. Marion Mauck, April 2, 1896, land in Half Moon twp, for $300.

W. A. Murray et ux to Boalsburg Cemetery Association, Jan. 10, 1903, land in Harris twp, for $184.20.

Presbyterian Social.

The Presbyterians will hold a social at the parsonage next Friday night, to which all the members of the congregation are invited—male and female, old and young are cordially requested to be present.

In order to properly observe an unwritten law relating to church sociables, a silver offering will be expected, and gratefully received. Anything from a dime to a dollar can be laid on the plate and no comment made.

A program is being prepared to entertain the company, which will be worth more than the money you will contribute.

As an inducement to have the gentlemen present, can say, that all chairs will be reserved for their use, and in the event of a crowd, they are to have the first choice of standing room.

We almost neglected to mention that refreshments would be served during the evening, a sort of a light lunch, not of a character to warrant your going without supper.

The Matrimonial Market.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register A. G. Archey:

G. M. Van De Wait.	Clearfield.
Edith Wood.	Philipsburg.
Chas. S. Bitner.	Potters Mill.
Cora L. Colyer.	Linden Hall.
Clarence Brown.	Bellefonte.
Rhoda Ginter.	Bellefonte.
Herbert S. Folkler.	Pa. Furnace.
Lulu P. Gilham.	Philipsburg.
Harry W. Harper.	Centre Hall.
Blanche N. Durst.	Potters Mill.
Harry Krape.	Howard.
Sadie May McCloskey.	Romolo.
J. B. Whitmer.	Pa. Furnace.
Magh Woodnug.	Lemont.

UNCLAIMED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Post Office uncalled for March, 24th, 1903:

W. B. Myres, Sam Robison John Resick, Nora Shark, Mrs Ellen M. Young.

When called for please say advertiived

W. W. MONTGOMERY, P. M.

—A boon to travelers. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Cures dysentery, diarrhoea, seasickness, nausea. Pleasant to take. Acts promptly.

CORRESPONDENCE

PHILIPSBURG.

Addleman and Ratosky have purchased the ground on corner of Spruce extending from Trout Street to Second. The old buildings on it has been torn down and a two story brick structure is to be erected there.

Rev. Pennepacker, (M. E. pastor left this week for Conference at Altoona, and the wishes of the church are that he will be returned.

Mr. Lingenfelter an old and respected citizen died Sunday morning. He was a member of the Methodist church and lived a life which could be taken as a model, by any young man.

Last week was a stray week of summer weather, which has made the trees and grass don their robes of green.

Mr. Jones of Tenth Street has moved to Johnstown where he has secured employment.

A movement is in progress to have an organization of Y. M. C. A. in town which we hope may prove a success.

Rev. George Muller a Temperance evangelist is to hold meetings in the Baptist church each night this week to which all are welcome.

Unkerd the popular barber of town has greatly improved his stand by repapering and enlarging his room.

E. R. Hancock of Runville has secured employment at P. R. R. Station and intends moving in the near future.

Business men of Philadelphia were in town last week trying to contract for construction of the Trolly line. Its a sure go.

Mrs. Dr. Wagner of Fort Wayne Ind., returned home after a visit with her parents in town.

Mr. George Hastings of Bellefonte, visited G. G. Pottsgrove's on Presqueisle street.

Miss Sue Holter of Snow Shoe was a guest of her sister Mrs. Walker of Centre Street.

Mr. Cryder of Turnback's hardware company has given up the store-room and is traveling for a hardware firm.

Mrs. Susan Stine who visited relatives in South Philipsburg has returned to her home in Port Matilda.

The U. B. Church of South Philipsburg held a box social Saturday night which was a decided success. But Ed. paid dearly for his choice.

MILESBURG.

Miss Polly Bronell has purchased the log house and lot opposite their place in Boggs township from Mrs. McCulwane and is repairing the house. It has been whispered that a bird is near by and the cage will be needed.

Rev. W. K. Shultz, the Evangelical minister, arrived on Saturday and delivered his first sermon Sunday night. Rev. M. T. Crouch left on Saturday for his new field of labor at Liberty, Tioga county, Pa.

Rev. R. H. Wharton is attending conference at Altoona this week.

John Fulton and wife, of Philipsburg, spent Sunday with their parents, returning home Monday.

Samuel W. Campbell, with his family, expects to take their departure for Nebraska on Wednesday, 25th inst., for the purpose of taking up the farming business in that state.

Joseph Shay, of Howard, was a recent guest of his brother Solomon, of this place.

William Stanley arrived home from the Lock Haven hospital, where he was being treated for a disabled leg. He is much better at this writing.

Mrs. Gertie Haines, of Snow Shoe, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. S. Smith, recently. She was not so unfortunate as her sister, Lida, getting lost on Linn street in Bellefonte. A gentleman passing along noticed Lida's foot-steps were rather quick and hailed her. "Oh. I am on business." Her business was to get to Aunt Annie's in Milesburg, but going out East Linn street would not take her to Milesburg. After this travel North and not East, Lida.

On Sunday last Rev. Lathrope, of the Baptist church, held baptismal services. Two persons were immersed in the Bald Eagle creek. Others will be in the near future.

Messrs. Harry Whiteman and George McCullough two prominent young business men of Milesburg, and their lady friends attended "The Minister's Son" in the Garman Opera House on Monday evening.

OAK HALL.

John A. Kline took a trip to Alexandria, Huntingdon county, and Williamsburg, Blair county, Saturday.

Miss Jessie Harsberger, of George's Valley, visited her aunt, Mrs. Cal. Coble, several days last week.

Luther Peters and Harry Williams attended Mr. Fishburn's sale Thursday at Pine Grove Mills.

Harry Wagner and Austin Dale helped Luther Dale move from Pine Grove to Pleasant Gap this week.

Mrs. James Ross and daughter Lily spent Tuesday at Mr. George Loneberger,s.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters visited friends at Shiloh and attended the sale of Mr. Geo. Kline Thursday.

W. M. Homan, of Centre Hall, passed through here Tuesday.

Daniel Louder and son, Ross A., are busy hauling posts off the mountain.

Miss Maud Gingerich, of Boalsburg, spent Tuesday at J. A. Kline's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Houtz, of Linden Hall, visited here recently.

Clifford Close, who has been working at Renovo, arrived home Monday to pay his parents a visit and enjoy som of the movings.

Mr. George Loneberger loaded his household effects and two cows on a car Tuesday. They shipped them to Washington where they will make their future home. John Loneberger went along with the goods. The remainder of the family will go later. We are sorry to lose such good citizens.

Miss Della Gerberich spent Sunday at Frank Homan's.

ROLAND.

Miss May Dukeman of this place is ill at her home.

Mr. John Barger of this place who was sick for a few days, is able to be around.

Spring is here at last and we are so glad to see it.

Mr. Lowry Bathurst transacted business in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Mr. John Crossmyer of this place was to town on Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza Stanley of this place was to visit her husband's parents in Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cox of this place returned to McKeesport in safety.

Mr. Sherwood White of this place bought 2 pigs at a sale near Jacksonville on Thursday.

Messrs. Marshall Cox and Sherwood White of this place were to Bellefonte on Saturday.

Miss Nancy Barger who is staying with Mrs. Funk at the Rolling Mill was to visit her parents last Wednesday.

Mrs. Funk and Howard Spear of this place were in Bellefonte last Friday on business.

Miss Alice Neff of this place had an entertainment in her school house on Saturday eve.

Mrs. Gingher of this place who has been sick for a few days is better at this writing.

Mrs Clyde Cox received quite a number of presents before going to McKeesport.

Miss Clara Barger and Miss Mary Shultz of this place were in Milesburg on Friday.

Mr. Joseph Spear of the Rolling Mill was visiting at Curtin.

The blue birds have arrived

UNIONVILLE.

There will not be much moving going on this spring. J. H. Stover will leave the hotel to occupy his farm. Do not know his successor.

E. M. Griest has moved from Bellefonte to his home at this place.

Mrs. A. R. Lambert and son Roy of Bellefonte are visiting Mrs. L's sister Mrs. I. G. Alexander.

Mrs. Mattie Musser visited friends at Bellwood last week.

Miss Grace Brownlee, of Lock Haven, spent Monday with J. C. Stere's family.

Roy Miles and Ed. Musser, of Pitcairn returned to their employment on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis May of West Elizabeth, Allegheny county are visiting among old friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Harris Calhoun has gone to the Philipsburg hospital to undergo an operation for kidney trouble, his wife accompanied him.

Rev. R. H. Wharton preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening. We hope he will be returned to us, as he is an enpounder of the truth and a good christian man. Conference began Tuesday in Altoona.

J. W. Smith who is employed at Drane, Pa., is spending sometime with his mother Mrs. Sarah Smith.

The property of the late Thomas Meyers which was to have been sold in Bellefonte on Saturday was not sold on account of low bidding. It is to be put up for sale again this week.

SMULLTON ITEMS

Dentist Hosterman was through this town last Tuesday, drawing a number of teeth for different persons and will be back again in six weeks.

Miss Elsie Miller was visiting her grandparents during the past week.

Master Harry, son of Newton Brungart had his arm broken on Friday while playing on the school ground.

Miss Maude Winters visited her brother Edwin, last week at Milheim.

Mr. H. H. Stover our up-to-date carpet weaver shall be pleased to receive any amount of work in the future.

Mrs. Emma Shaffer and Miss Vera Morris called on Miss Marion Emerick on Sunday.

Mr. John Wolfe of Rebersburg died on Saturday evening, after being up town in the afternoon.

PORT MATILDA.

Joseph Gill of Maderia, Clearfield county is visiting friends and acquaintances in this place for several days.

Everybody is busy cleaning up the rubbish about their place and getting ready to make garden.

Geo. Gill, of Julian was seen on our streets last Thurday.

Mrs. Mary Bennett who has been visiting her children and friends and spent the winter in Clearfield and Blair county has returned home to spend the summer in her own home.

What might have proven fatal occourred at Chaney and Thompson's Saw Mill. Chester Young who was engaged on the cut off saw, went under the mill to arrange a belt, his coat caught on the line shaft and striped him of all his clothes, except the bands around his neck and waist this ought to be a warning to boys to be careful.

HOWARD

Quite an excitement prevailed in town on Tuesday, when the man supposed to be the murderer of Mrs. Payne of Tioga county, was captured. He was released after being captured and leisurely walked down the railroad, in about a half hour he was seen coming up the railroad again.

The remains of Charles Smith whose home was formerly in Jacksonville, but who has been away for sometime were brought to Howard for interment.

Rev I. N. Bair former pastor of the United Evangelical church of this place will move to his new field of labor this week, at Millheim.

H. S. Raymond, manager of the London Bell Company, is visiting at the home of his parents on Main street.

A series of Gospel meetings have commenced in the Church of Christ on Main street, by the pastor Rev. Ira L. Moore.

Rev. G. F. Boggs pastor of the M. E. Church of this place, is attending conference this week.

Miss Edna Strunk who has been attending school at Loysville, has returned home on account of a large number of students of that institution suffering with typhoid fever.

The goods of Rev. D. A. Artman, pastor of the United Evangelical Church came on Monday, the Rev. and family will likely arrive on Wednesday of this week.

Misses Maud and Ethel Sechrist, daughters of Rev. J. R. Sechrist, visited at the home of their sister Mrs. Geo. Williams on Walnut street over Sunday.

The confectionery store formerly owned by Mrs. E. C. Dietz, has been purchased by George Tipton who is to take possession on or about April 1st.

Mrs. Jennie Lauth who has been spending the winter in Pittsburg and Windber has returned to Howard to spend the summer.

A Social was held by the ladies of the United Evangelical Church in the Lucas Hall on Saturday evening, although the weather being inclement quite a nice sum was realized for the church.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rimert on Saturday to mark the 30th, anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. Balser Weber Jr. who is attending the Mercersburg Academy, is home spending his Easter vacation.

Messrs. Jean Pletcher and Sherman Holter who are attending the Williamsport Commercial College are spending about a week at the home of their parents.

Mr. Clare Tipton who has been at Williamsport attending Business College came home to take charge of his father's store.

Governor Pennypacker Exercises Judgment in Passing Upon Bills Before Signing.

It is stated that one out of every five of the bills passed by the Legislature has been found defective. Here is the record of Governor Pennypacker on bills thus far this season. Total number of bills passed and presented to the Governor, fifty-two; number signed to date, thirty-one; vetoed three; recalled by Legislature at Governors request because of defects, eleven; number on hand waiting action, seven. From this it will be observed that out of fifty-two bills submitted for his signature eleven of them were returned for correction of errors. In other words one-fifth, or twenty per cent., of all bills have been defective. It is true, we have an exceptional governor—one who as judge has had much experience in interpreting legislative acts. For this reason bills are more carefully read by the Executive now and very properly perused in a critical spirit. All this will save trouble in the future.

Dr. Shriner Will Leave Bellefonte.

We learn that Dr. Wilford P. Shriner D. D. has declined the invitation of the membership of the Methodist Church of this place to return for another year, but will request some other appointment.

The feeling of regret at his decision is universal and not confined to his own congregation.

During the three years Dr. Shriner has resided in Bellefonte he has made many friends outside of his own church. Every one admiring his zeal and success in building up Methodism in our town, both in a spiritual and temporal sense. During his ministry large accessions have been made to the congregation, the church property has been wonderfully improved, and today, is among the finest in the Conference.

Dr. Shriner is one of the most able ministers of his Church, and a natural born pulpit orator, His sermons which are always carefully prepared are convining and logical as well as spiritual. We fear it will be a long time before such a man is sent to our Methodist friends by the Central Pennsylvania Conference.

Almost a Fire.

Shrotly before noon Thursday fire was discovered on the roof of the residence of Mr. S. B. Finnegan on Spring street. An alarm was sent in which was promptly responded to by the fire department, but before they arrived the flames were extinguished.

A destructive conflagration was averted by the prompt action of Mr. Finnegan and his neighbors. The fire was caused by a defective flue.

ACCEPTS CALL TO TRENTON.

Rev. A. J. Weisley Resigns Pastorate of Tyrone Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Albert James Weisley, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Tyrone, has decided to accept the invitation of the congregation of the Third Presbyterian church of Trenton, N. J., to become their pastor. Rev. Mr. Weisley announced his decision first to the church Saturday evening and then to his congregation at the Sunday services.

Rev. Theodore DeWitt Cuyler once served this congregation. The Third church has a congregation of over 500 members, which owns a handsome brownstone church and a brownstone parsonage. It is a church with a working future, well located in New Jersey's capital; and Rev. Dr. Chapman, from an evangelistic view point, regards it as "the church with the city problem to solve," one presenting a rich field for the energetic endeavor of its new pastor, a man as well fitted as he is willing to assume the responsibility and work.

Whilst his congregation deeply regret the decision of Rev. Weisley to ask for a dissolution of the pastoral relations between him and the church, they will accede to his request.

Talk Costs Something in Bellefonte.

A large number of persons assembled in Burgess Walker's court Tuesday afternoon, to hear the evidence in the trial of Mrs. James Delige and Miss Jennie Green, two colored ladies, (?) who were arrested for disorderly conduct, upon our streets last Saturday night.

Promptly at three o'clock the defendants arrived and were given cushioned chairs at the side of the court room. The press was represented by Thomas H. Harter of the Keystone Gazette, and a reporter from the News.

The Burgess requested the ladies ? to stand up, when he read the indictments charging them with disturbing the peace and quiet of our orderly town, by loud and boisterous talk, at an unseemly hour.

The first witness called was William Storm, who being sworn, stated that on Saturday night he heard the voices of women who were using profane and obscene languages near the Brockerhoff House. When asked to state the character of the language used, he begged to be excused from polluting his lips by repeating it. He was excused. When asked if it was loud and boisterous, he stated there would have been no difficulty in hearing it a square distance.

A. C. Mingle was then called, who corrobated the testimony of Mr. Storm.

Thomas Caldwell stated that he was drawn to the Brockerhoff House by seeing a large crowd, and hearing the evidence of a "scrap."

Clarence Tate testified, that he stopped to take in the fun, but before he left was glad to take refuge in Beezer's Meat Market. During his testimony Clarence kept his eye on the defendants as if fearful of something striking him on the head. He also stated that the ladies ? had called him bad names.

Ed. Gross simply heard some of their strong expressions, which he stated were rank.

Thomas Howley told that he was acquainted with the ladies ? and identified them. He also heard them talking in a loud tone of voice and using language he did not care to repeat.

C. M. Garman spoke of it as a lively time, and that over a hundred persons congregated around the warring elements He did not hear Mrs. Delige, but did hear Miss Green say some very naughty things.

Joe. Fauble was the last witness. Joe said he heard the racket as he was going home, but went back and said it was lively. He heard both the ladies ? using bad language, which he would not think of repeating. He also heard Mrs. Delige threaten Brack Powell's head with her umbrella. Joe appeared to be very nervous during his examination, as if fearing the future.

At this stage of the trial Mrs. Delige was called in her own defense. She stated that what made her mad was Brack Powell telling someone not to talk with that trash, meaning her. She acknowledged talking loud, but denied being profane. She said she never used bad words.

Miss Green was called. She acknowledged that she swore in a very loud tone, and threatened to club Brack Powell. Denied being drunk, but claimed having reasons for provocation. At the conclusion of her testimony, her uncle Son Miller stated that he would represent the accused as their attorney. He stated that he was a brother of Mrs. Delige, and that she should not be punished, as she never swore, but that Miss. Green does swear, and should be fined as an example to evil doers, and enjoined the Burgess to do his duty to her, as well as every one else. This the Burgess proceeded to do, by imposing a penalty of $12.87 or 20 days in jail, on Mrs. Delige and $14.87 or thirty days on Miss. Green, and to stand committed until sentence was complied with. The amount of $27.24 was paid the Burgess by their attorney Mr. Miller and they were dismissed.

This knocks the old theory that "talk is cheap," and we venture to say these ladies? will be more discrete in the future with the use of their unruly members.

—Monarch over pain. Burns, cuts, sprains, stings. Instant relief. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. At any drug store. 50

Two Excellent Sermons.

It had been well if every parent in Bellefonte could have heard the sermon delivered in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning by the pastor, Dr. Laurie It was a clear, practical discourse on the duties and responsibilities of parents in the Christian training of the young.

He did not advance his own theories or conception of their obligation to the children committed to their keeping, but from God's Word gave them to understand what was expected of those who had been blessed by having children given into their care. He told his hearers they should not depend entirely upon the Sabbath School for all the religious instruction children should receive, nor on the Pastor, who cannot possibly relieve them of this duty. Home was the place and the father and mother were the ones to train up their children in "the way they should go;" that home influences and surroundings make the most lasting impressions, and it was in the home they should be "brought up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.'

Dr. Laurie's counsel and advice was given kindly, but earnestly, and there was not a parent within the sound of his voice who should not lay to heart all that was said, which if they would only follow, the next generation of men and women would be more intelligent and faithful Christians than the present.

The rain Sunday night did not deter a large congregation from attending Methodist church to hear Dr. Shriner, who is so soon to leave this community, much to the regret of our citizens without regard to denominational affiliation.

The subject of his sermon was the progress of the world, his text being "Can ye not discern the signs of the times."

Beginning with the first century of the Christian era, he quoted from the writings of philosophers and eminent men, showing that there was but little ground on which the pessimist of today can stand.

He demonstrated clearly to his hearers that the world is progressing rapidly: morally, physically, intellectually and religiously; that in our age we are better in every respect than when Christ made his appearance upon the earth.

The sermon was interesting and instructive and had the effect of encouraging all who are working to advance Christ's cause.

Dr. Shriner will preach his farewell sermon in two weeks, at which time we can promise him a crowded church.

The State College Times.

It struck us as a little singular, upon opening the wide-awake and up-to-date State College Times Friday, to observe the very meager account of the visit to that place last week, of the Legislative appropriation Committee.

Bellefonte editors neglected their business at home, and went to the College that day to show their kindly feeling and interest in all that concerns that institution, and in their several papers gave an extended account of what transpired on that occasion. They took the time necessary to do this in order that the citizens of Centre County might be informed on a matter which is of so great moment to those who are interested in this admirable institution.

But on the principal that "A Prophet is not without honor, save in his own Country," the Times is almost "mum" on the subject, scarcely giving it mention, and it the only paper published in the town. It certainly did not consider the import of this visit, and how much depended the future success and prosperity of "State" from the opinions formed that day.

The Daily News and Republican devoted over one column of space to this visit, and mailed a large number of marked copies to members of the Legislature, to those who are expected to vote on the appropriation which is so much needed and desired.

We did this, not from a mercenary motive, because we get no printing from the College, and have but few subscribers there. We felt it to be our duty, and esteemed it a pleasure to aid in our feeble way any movement to advance the cause of education and especially our own home institution.

Perhaps Bro. Burns was too busy running off State College job work, (on which we understand he has a "cinch") to waste time in booming, just a little bit, that institution upon which he depends so largely for his bread and butter.

Moyer--Condo.

Al Moyer and Miss Hattie Condo, the former a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moyer and the latter a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Condo, both of near Centre Hall, were married at the home of the bride Monday evening by Rev. G. W. Kershner. The young couple have the best wishes of all for a long, happy life.

The newly married couple will go to Darragh, Westmoreland county, where Mr. Moyer has secured employment.

Finally Passed Senate.

Appropriating $100,000 for furnishing high school instruction to pupils residing in school districts which do not maintain high schools.

Death of a Former Centre Countian.

John E. McKinley aged 80 year's 3 months, 21 days, died at his home in Reedsville Mifflin county, Friday morning March 12, at seven o'clock and was buried the following Sunday afternoon at one o'clock.

Mr. McKinley was a citizen of Milesburg this county for fifty years prior to 1870 at which time he removed to William Manns Axe works at Reedsville.

He is survived by his brother, Joseph Green and sister Mrs. Jane Broom both of Milesburg, and the following children, Mary Ragur, of Reedsville; Sarah E. Weaver, of Port Matilda; Anna Huse, of Belleville; Eliza Ross and Samuel, of Burham; and Rachel at home.

Dearest Father thou has left us,
How we miss thee none can tell,
But your Saviour has said to you
Father dear thou hast done well.

Your work now on earth is finished,
All your trials now are o'er,
Farwell Father till we meet you
over on the other shore.

My dear Mother and my Sisters,
Our work is not yet done,
Let us bear our cross, most nobly
That we too obtain a crown.

SON.

Another Pipe Organ for Bellefonte.

Dr. H. C. Holloway informs us that he has received a letter from the private secretary of Andrew Carnegie, that he would give the Lutheran Congregation of Bellefonte one thousand dollars, ($1,000) towards purchasing a Pipe Organ, providing the congregation raise an equal amount.

The Rev. Doctor will make an effort to have the congregation try and secure the money, we hope they will succeed, for with a few more organs in the town there will certainly be music in the air.

John M. Chase Elected.

The result of the election for Post Master in Clearfield which was held Friday, was a majority of three in favor of John M. Chase present incumbent. The election was fought with bitterness by both sides and there was much bad feeling manifested.

There is scarcely a doubt but that Chase will now receive the appointment, as it was agreed to abide by the decision of the voters.

The defeated candidate John H. Martin was at one time a resident of Bellefonte.

Lutheran Conference.

The West Branch conferene of the Susquehanna Synod of the Lutheran church will convene in the Church of the Redeemer at Williamsport, on Monday, March 30th at 3:00 p. m., and continue in session until the following evening. Monday afternoon's session will be taken up with devotional service, organization, business and addresses on timely topics.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce WILBUR F. REEDER as a candidate for Delegate to the Republican State Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican County convention of Centre county.

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It originates in a scrofulous condition of the blood and depends on that condition.
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FARM FOR RENT—100 acres under cultivation near Mountain Eagle, now occupied by Martin Gates. Good orchard, running water. Apply to H. Y. Stitzer, Attorney at Law, Bellefonte, Pa.

Legal Notices.

Administration Notice.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Francis S. Rhoads, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment and those persons having claims against the said decedent are requested to present the same for settlement duly authenticated to JOSEPH J. RHOADS, Exr.,
Tacony, Pa.
HARRY KELLER, Attorney.

Administration Notice.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Daniel H. Hastings, late of the Borough of Bellefonte, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment and those persons having claims against the said decedent are requested to present the same for settlement duly authenticated to

MRS. JENNIE R. HASTINGS,
ROSS A. HICKOK,
Administrators.
WILBUR F. REEDER Attorney. jan20-6t

BELLEFONTE MARKET QUOTATIONS.

PRODUCE:

These prices are paid by C. C. Shuey for produce--

Eggs. per doz.		18
Lard, " lb		12½
Tallow, " "		3
Butter, " "		22
Apples, per bus		30 & 40
Potatoes, per bu		50
Side, " lb		8
Shoulder, " "		10
Ham " "		15

GRAIN:

These prices are paid by C. T. Gerberich & Son for grain—

Wheat, old		72
" new		72
Oats new		
Barley		50
rye		50

BANK LOOTER ARRESTED

Vice President of Hyndman, Pa., Institution Charged With Fraud.

MADE A CLEAN SWEEP OF FUNDS

George B. White, Whose Arrest Was Ordered By Attorney General Knox, Was Traced to Philadelphia—Held In $8,000 Bail.

Philadelphia, March 21. — Charged with embezzlement and other irregularities amounting to about $20,000, George E. White, the vice president and a director of the Bank of South Pennsylvania, at Hyndman, Bedford county, was arrested by a deputy United States marshal yesterday and held in $8,000 bail by United States Commissioner Craig for a further hearing next Wednesday. The warrant was sworn out by Special Bank Examiner W. A. Mason, who stated that he was acting under instructions from United States Attorney General Knox. White was arrested at his office in this city. He did not appear agitated at the charges made against him, and referred to his arrest as a matter of small importance. "It is only a trivial matter," he said, "merely a little question in banking business that can be easily explained."

In an interview after the hearing, Examiner Mason said:

"I was ordered to Hyndman on December 16 last, to investigate the condition of the bank. A few hours of work was sufficient to convince me that the affairs of the institution were in bad condition, and I telegraphed to the comptroller to that effect, at the same time advising the closing of the bank. This was done, and I was appointed receiver.

"I found that the bank, instead of having $10,000 surplus, was $50,000 worse off that nothing. The bank's assets consisted of securities that were worthless, among them notes of persons long since dead and of concerns which failed years ago. I have been able to pay the depositors in full, but the stockholders won't get $5 on their shares, the par value of which is $100."

Mr. Mason stated further that the Hyndman bank was organized in 1889 by John K. White, a brother of the accused, who Mr. Mason states has been a fugitive from justice since 1893. Later his brother George came on the scene and claimed 300 shares of the bank's stock which had belonged to John. George was the promoter of the Amazon Trading Company, which was organized with a capital of $15,000,000. Mr. Mason says the accused borrowed $380,000 from New York and Boston banks on the stock and then went into bankruptcy.

"The government charges that George B. White knew the bank was insolvent when he took hold of it; that he entered into a conspiracy with another man to defraud, and that he made the cashier swear to false statements, and that he prepared and swore to false statements himself. Besides the charges of conspiracy and forgery, there is one of direct embezzlement of $2,000 against the prisoner."

TWO TANNERY CONCERNS FAIL

C. Moensch & Sons Co. and Moensch, Fischer & Gaenssien Go Under.

Buffalo, March 21.—C. Moensch & Sons Company and Moensch, Fisher & Gaenssien, of Gowanda, two of the biggest tannery concerns in this part of the country, are insolvent. Application for the appointment of receivers for both companies was made yesterday.

The capital stock of C. Moensch & Sons Co. is $1,500,000, and that of Moensch, Fisher & Gaenssien is $600,000. The motion for the dissolution of the companies was made in behalf of the majority of the directors. Both corporations have large plants at Cattaraugus, Gowanda and Salamanca, and Alpena, Mich. It was stated in the petition that the apparent assets of Moensch & Sons Co. are $1,248,000. Actual liabilities were given at $634,000, and contingent liabilities at $500,000.

Initials.

Enrolling Officer—What is your name?

Recruit—Owen Espy Casey.

Enrolling Officer (with evident irritation)—Shoot a few of those initials! O. N. S. P. K. C. what?—Chicago Tribune.

Sure Thing.

"Name the world's greatest composer," said the musical instructor.

"Chloroform," promptly replied the young man who had studied medicine.

If society took better care of its poor out of jail there would be less need of jails or jailers.—Boston Transcript.

COUGH SETTLE ON HER LUNGS

"My daughter had a terrible cough which settled on her lungs," says N. Jackson of Danville Ill. "We tried a great many remedies without relief, until we gave her Foley's Honey and tar which cured her." Refuse substitutes.

C. M. Parrish.

This Will Interest Many.

F. W. Parkhurst, the Boston publisher, says that if anyone afflicted with rheumatism in any form, or neuralgia, will send their address to him at No. 4, Winthrop Building, Boston, Mass., he will direct them to a perfect cure. He has nothing to sell or give; only tells you how he was cured after years of search for relief. Hundreds have tested it with success.

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TRIPLE TRAGEDY AT CINCINNATI

Man, Wife and Child Found Dead In Their Home.

Cincinnati, March 23.—A mysterious tragedy which occurred here Saturday night, was discovered last night, when the bodies of A. M. Betty, the representative of the Washburn-Crosby mills of Minneapolis; his wife and their son, 20 months old, were found at their home. A note written by Betty was found, in which he accused his wife with killing the babe, and the police think the woman may have killed herself and the child on account of domestic troubles. As Betty was known to have been playing cards near his home as late at Saturday night, it is thought that he found the dead bodies on his return home and then deliberately took his own life. The body of the child was found in a basin, with no marks on it. It is thought that Betty took it from the crib and tried to revive it by turning on the water.

When he found it dead, he lay down beside his wife's dead body to die from asphyxiation, and in that position their bodies were found. The odor of gas led to the discovery.

Negro Shoots Four, Two Fatally.

Indianapolis, March 23.—John Willis and Laura Jeffries were killed and Frank Rowden and Lucy Coleman were wounded by Albert Wright here last night. Cora Carr was a guest of Lucy Coleman and the others were callers. Wright had been calling on Miss Carr. They talked outside, and when she came in Wright followed her, chasing her through the house. Willis tried to quiet him and was killed. Wright then shot Laura Jeffries through the heart and then wounded Rowden and Lucy Coleman.

Arrested For Insurance Fraud.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 23—New York detectives who came here to locate several persons connected with the $1,000,000 insurance frauds in that city have completed their work. With the aid of the local detective bureau they found one of the indicted men in the person of Casimiro Ciccone, an Italian 82 years of age, for whom the New York officers had a bench warrant. Ciccone's life, it is said, was insured for $10,000 three years ago, and a year later a body alleged to be his was buried in Calvary Cemetery, New York.

Steel Trust After An $80,000,000 Plant.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 23.—The chief cause of the visit of Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, to Pittsburg is in furtherance of the negotiations for the acquisition of the mills, furnaces and coal and ore lands of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company. It is reported that the big independent manufacturing firm might sell if it got its price, said to be approximately $80,000,000. The only hitch in the negotiations is over the method of payment.

Dean of Canterbury Dead.

London, March 23.—The Very Rev. Frederick William Farrar, dean of Canterbury since 1895, died yesterday. Dean Farrar was in his 72d year. The cause of his death was paralysis.

Swindled Red Men.

Bristol, Conn., March 21.—Edward Sears, who claims to be a member in good standing of the Improved Order of Red Men, in Washington, D. C., has been arrested here on a charge of defrauding Red Men in New Britain. In the police court yesterday, Sears, after pleading guilty to the charge, was sentenced to 45 days in jail. Local Red Men, it is said, suspect that Sears is the man who left Washington with about $2,000 belonging to a tribe of Red Men in that city. The Washington tribe will be communicated with concerning the matter.

American Explorers In Africa.

Marseilles, France, March 21—A mail steamer which has arrived from African ports brings word of the arrival at Jibutil, Abyssinia, of a party of American explorers, Messrs. Macmillan, Brown and Marlow, accompanied by a number of Englishmen. Emperor Menelik accorded the party a hearty welcome and placed an escort of 50 soldiers at their disposal and gave authority to the expedition to proceed to Lak Tsana. Later the party expects to descend the Blue Nile.

NUGGETS OF NEWS

The Delaware legislature adjourned yesterday afternoon sine die.

The annual convention of the Woman's Suffrage Association opened at New Orleans yesterday.

William Crozier, the Manila editor, convicted of libeling General Davis, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment and fined $1,000.

Fire yesterday destroyed the big shoe factory of M. C. Griffin and a score of other buildings at East Pepperell, Mass., entailing a loss of $350,000.

Henry Rodee, aged 75 years, one of the wealthiest residents of Ogdensburg, N. Y., committed suicide yesterday by throwing himself into the St. Lawrence river.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

A SEVERE COLD FOR THREE MONTHS.

The following letter from A. J. Nusbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story, "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar, and eight doses cured me." Refuse substitutes.

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TO GET RID OF HIS WIFE

May Rhoades Gives Damaging Testimony Against Elmer Collins.

ASKED TO GO AWAY WITH HIM

Accused Said He Would Put His Wife Under Six Feet of Earth and Live a Happy Life—Henry Niblet Heard Collins Confess In a Prayer.

Georgetown, Del., March 20.—Sensational testimony was given yesterday at the trial of Elmer Collins, who is charged with the murder of his wife. The star witness was May Rhoades, the "other woman." She was followed on the stand by Henry Niblet, who said he heard Collins confess the murder in a prayer.

May Rhoades, the woman in the case, was called yesterday afternoon. During the past year she said she had lived three-quarters of a mile from the Collins home. She said: "I have known him (Collins) for 15 years. I went to school with him. I have been acquainted with him since he has been married. I met him several times during the year before his wife's death. I have received letters from him. The first was written December 1, 1901. He asked me if I would be surprised to receive a letter from him. I said 'No.' I did not think he meant it."

"Do you remember what you and he talked about?" was asked.

"I don't remember."

"When I got the letter, I put it under the carpet in my room. It remained there until Mrs. Collins' death. He said in the letter that he was my friend and not to get offended. Between Christmas and New Years I got another letter. I met him by appointment between the first and second letter on the road between the school house and Portsville. The second letter was put under the carpet. After Mrs. Collins' death I burned it. In the second letter he said he enjoyed my company. He said if nothing got in the way he thought he could love me. He asked me to meet him down in the branch near a tree in a valley. I met him and we sat down and talked, and he tried to make love with me. He put his arm around me and kissed me.

"I received a third letter about the last of February. I met him three times after the second letter. He told me he did not love his wife, that he only loved two, and I was one. He said he preferred me. He told me that he and his wife were having trouble. He said he did not see any pleasure and would not stay with her. He said he married her because of the way he was treated at home. The third letter I hid with the others, and destroyed it in the same way. In the third letter he said he was going to make a way quicker and clearer.

"I received a fourth letter about a week or ten days before Mrs. Collins was murdered. I had met him at the branch again. He said he had the plans all fixed. If he got in trouble he had enough friends to protect him. He said he did not care anything for his wife.

"He told me if he could not get rid of her one way, he could another, and said he would put her under six feet of earth. In the fourth letter he said he was going to live a happy life the balance of his days. If I would not go he could get another woman. Collins wanted to know if I did not want to take a stroll through the world. He told me to be ready when he sent me word again."

Sensational testimony was given by Henry Niblet, of Sharpstown, Md., who has known Collins for a long time. He testified that about three months after the death of Mrs. Collins he was passing the Collins farm, and stopped at the pump for a drink, and that while there he heard a noise in the carriage house. Upon investigation, he said, he heard Collins' voice. He was praying, but all that he could distinctly hear was:

"Lord, Thou knowest that I killed my wife. I cannot hide it from Thine all-seeing eye."

Garland Fitzgerald, another friend of Collins', viewed the remains of the wife on the day of the funeral. As he was leaving the house he said Collins was close behind him, and he (Fitzgerald) heard him mutter: "Well, this is the worst day's work that I ever did."

Msgr. Monsigner.

South Orange, N. J., March 20.—The Rev. John A. Stafford, president of Seton Hall College, received the purple robe of a monsignor yesterday in the chapel of the Immaculate Conception, Bishop O'Connor conducting the ceremonies. The papal bull announcing the elevation of the priest was received in Seton Hall a few days ago. It was read at the pontifical mass yesterday. Mgr. Stafford became vice president of Seton Hall College in 1893 and president in 1899.

Princeton Lions to Be Repaired.

Princeton, N. J., March 20.—The two big lions which have adorned the steps of Old North for a quarter of a century were yesterday shipped to Newark, where they will be rebronzed. Some of the pieces of the lions, which were decapitated last Saturday night by a party of riotous upper classmen, have not been found. Among them is the right paw, which will be recast. The lions will be returned in time for the commencement season.

LaGrippe coughs yield quickly to the wonderful curative qualities of Foley's Honey and tar. There is nothing else "just as good."

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WONDERS OF THE NEEDLE.

Beautiful Work of the Artisans of Former Centuries.

The wonders of the needle were in ancient times in Egypt, India, Babylonia and Phœnicia mainly lavished by women on veils and hangings for temples. Connoisseurs consider the veil decorating the tomb of Mohammed at Medina, priced at 10,000,000 rupees, the most marvelous piece of embroidery ever made. Its pattern, a cunning interlacing of scrolls and arabesques, exclusively delineated with rare pearls and precious stones, produces, when exposed to the rays of the sun, a stupendous effect of coloring, soft and harmonious and equal to the bold gracefulness of the design. Linen, silks, leather and the richest stuffs were in turn beautified with the little insignificant tool, the needle.

Diaphanous Indian muslin charmingly embroidered with green beetle wings is still renowned, as well as examples of painted spangles and artificial pearls strewn amid devices wrought in gold. But where is now to be found the incomparable Decca muslin, thirty yards of which were once inclosed for a turban in an ordinary cocoanut incrusted with gems and presented by a Persian ambassador to his master, the shah. Other varieties known as invisible have also disappeared. The term originated from the fact that when dipped in water or spread out on the grass the material was lost to the eye through its extreme fineness.

The trained fingers have disappeared, and through modern competition customers are no longer willing to pay the real value of genuine hard work. This superiority of eastern craftsmen over their western fellows was recognized centuries ago, first by Portuguese, who were in the habit of sending satin to India to be embroidered by the natives after European designs, a fashion which at times renders somewhat puzzling the classification of the marvels of handiwork.

The French followed suit, since the majority of the Louis XVI. court sets, including coat, waistcoat and breeches in satin, velvet, plush or corded silk, so exquisitely adorned with delicate sprays and admirable borders wrought in satin and tambour stitches, are due to the skill and industry of the Chinese, who have reproduced the French devices with floss silk in such lovely and fast colors, which still appear in all their beauty, with a mellowness imparted by time, which further adds to their charm.—Ledger Monthly.

BOOKS AND READING.

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.—Addison.

A home without books is like a room without windows.—Beecher.

To read without reflecting is like eating without digesting.—Burke.

Books are the best things well used; abused, among the worst.—Emerson.

Next to acquiring good friends the best acquaintance is that of good books.—Cotton.

Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed and some few to be chewed and digested.—Bacon.

Half the gossip of society would perish if the books that are truly worth reading were but read.—Dawson.

What is a great love of books? It is something like a personal introduction to the great and good men of all past times.—John Bright.

The three practical rules I have to offer are: (1) Never read any book that is not a year old; (2) never read any but famed books; (3) never read any but what you like.—Emerson.

NUGGETS OF NEWS

Burglars took about $5,000 from the Deposit Bank of Bardwell, Ky., and escaped.

Secretary Shaw Saturday named Marcus Braun as an immigration inspector at New York.

A treaty of peace was signed yesterday between the Uruguayan government and the rebels.

A gun playfully pointed by his little sister, who supposed it was empty, fatally wounded George Klinedenst, of Spring Grove, York county, Pa.

Three masked robbers attempted to hold up a trolley car at Los Angeles, Cal., Saturday night and in the fight that followed one passenger was killed and three others wounded.

Colonist and Homeseekers' Excursion Rates

To points West, Southwest and Northwest will be on sale during February, March, April and May via ILLINOIS CENTRAL Railroad at about one fare plus $2.00 with stopover privileges. Write today for FREE descriptive matter and full particulars to E. A. Richter, Trav. Pass. Agt., Ill. Central R. R. Park Building, Pittsburg, Pa.

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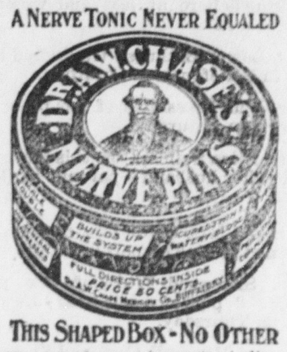

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Mrs. F. Koehl of No. 246 South Main St. St. Mary's, Ohio, says: "Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills I got, are excellent in nervous dyspepsia. They make a weak stomach strong, increase its digestive powers and enable it to handle food with ease and in this way do away with all distress after eating. The nervousness that comes with these attacks is also cured by the tonic and strengthening effects of the medicine on the nerves. I have no hesitancy in recommending the medicine strongly to others, as I believe it will do all that is claimed for it and a little more."

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NUGGETS OF NEWS

A Rome dispatch says the condition of Pope Leo is improving.

James Ruffin and Jay Green, colored, were hanged at Star City, Ark., yesterday for murder.

Secretary Hay returned to Washington yesterday, after a two-weeks' stay at Thomasville, Ga.

President Roosevelt has accepted an invitation to attend the National Saengerfest at Baltimore, Md., on June 15.

The naval collier Alexander, which was disabled at sea and towed to Bermuda, arrived at Hampton Roads last night for repairs.

John Barrett, commissioner general of the St. Louis Exposition, arrived in New York yesterday on the steamer Cedric, from a trip around the world in the interest of the fair.

Five Years For Treason.

Manila, March 20.—Jose Javier, the alleged head of the new Katipunan (secret society), who has been tried for treason and sedition, was convicted yesterday and sentenced to five years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $5,000.

Casey's Generous Gift.

"When Mr. Casey died, he left all he had to the orphan asylum."

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VIOLATED THE ANTI-TRUST LAWS

Opinion Holds That Evidence Proved a Combination to Maintain Prices and An Agreement to Undersell All Competitors.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 21.—The Armour, Cudahy, Swift, Hammond, and Schwarzchild & Sulzberger packing companies, the five defendants in the ouster proceedings brought by the attorney general of Missouri against the alleged beef combine last summer, were fined $5,000 each in the Missouri supreme court yesterday and ordered to pay the costs of the case, which amount to $5,000. Unless the fine and costs are paid within 30 days the defendants will be ousted from the state, so the court orders.

The packers against whom the judgment was issued have extensive branch houses in St. Louis, Kansas City, and St. Joseph.

The opinion holds that the evidence obtained at the hearings shows conclusively that there was a combination of the packers to maintain trust prices on beef in Missouri, that the representatives of the packers meet on certain days to fix the prices for the current week, that rebating was done, that the same prices prevailed at all the markets at the same time, that no competitor could enter the field against the combine, because the latter would undersell the newcomer out of business. The opinion does not take up the charge in the proceedings by the attorney general, that the combine was also guilty of selling diseased meat. Much of the evidence was to the effect that the company did sell diseased meat, but the opinion of the court was based on the violation of the anti-trust law of the state.

"In short," concludes the opinion, "the character of the judgment rests in the discretion of the court, and under all circumstances a judgment of absolute ouster is not necessary in the case, but the end of justice will be served by the imposition of a fine and the payment of all costs in the case. It is accordingly ordered that the respondents each pay to the clerk of this court within 30 days from this date the sum of $5,000 as a fine, and that they also pay all of the costs in the cases. And it is further ordered that if the respondents, or any of them, fail to pay said fine and costs within the time named, those so failing be ousted of all rights, privileges and franchises of every nature and kind conferred upon them by the laws of this state and be forever prohibited from doing business in this state."

FEDERAL OFFICERS EXONERATED

Grand Jury Report In West Virginia Conflict Made Public.

Charleston, W. Va., March 21.—The special report of the federal grand jury in Judge Keller's court in the recent conflict between the miners and deputy marshals at Stannaford was made public last evening by permission of Attorney General Knox, to whom it was taken by District Attorney Atkinson. The grand jury assigns as a reason for making a special report the fact that there had been grave violations of law, ending in bloodshed, and that wide newspaper notoriety, with gross misrepresentations, had been given the affair and great injustice done the officers of the court.

The report says in substance: The evidence proves conclusively that resistance to the serving of the writs was planned, even to the commission of murder; that the officers conducted themselves strictly within the law and did not fire on the strikers until they were first fired upon. It is said the miners were organized and drilled in military fashion and had a cannon which they secreted after the arrests were made. When the officers demanded the surrender of the men concealed in the house at Stannaford they were fired upon, and in the conflict that followed three of the strikers were killed.

The report was sent to the department of justice at Washington, who presented it to President Roosevelt.

Hot Election For Postmaster.

Clearfield, Pa., March 21.—In the hottest election held in Clearfield in many years, John H. Chase, the present incumbent, won the postoffice fight over John H. Martin last night by three votes in a total poll of 576. By common consent the question of the appointment of the next postmaster was left to the decision of the people, and it is expected that the president will reappoint Chase.

Driven Insane By Small-pox Scare.

Bound Brook, N. J., Feb. 23.—Driven insane, temporarily at least, by worry over the recent small-pox scare in this section, William Henry Ayres, president of the board of health of South Bound Brook, was yesterday removed to the state retreat at Trenton.

DANGERS OF PNEUMONIA.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is so often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiary susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia,

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Burning the Mortgage.

A pleasant event occurred Friday at noon, in a country residence not far from Bellefonte. Friends had come from Pittsburg and New York to be present at, and participate in the pleasures of the occasion, it was indeed an occasion, worthy of more than passing interest to those concerned, for it was the burning of a mortgage which had been hanging like a pall over this hospitable home.

By industry and frugality the worthy and highly respected couple who now own this domicile, have succeeded in rearing to manhood and womanhood a family who do honor and credit to the tender care and affection bestowed upon them in their early years, and whose early training both by precept and example have inculcated principles in their hearts which will make them strong to meet bravely the trials and vicessitudes of life.

A great feast was prepared to which all sat down with light and happy hearts, it was a veritable thanksgiving dinner, and no doubt many present, offered prayers of gratitude to "Him from whom cometh every good and perfect gift.

We congratulate our good friends in being relieved from the burden of debt, and may they long live to enjoy the fruits of their toil and sacrifice, may their declining years be their brightest and happiest in the love and affection of family and friends.

Editor to His Public.

A Missouri editor who is about to pull up and leave for lack of support, sarcastically remarks in parting that editors don't need money. "Don't worry about the editor," he says. "He has a charter from the State to act as doormat for the community. He'll get the paper out somehow, and stand up for you when you run for office, and lie about your pipeon-toed daughter's tacky wedding, and blow about your big-footed sons when they get a $4-a-week job, and weep over your shriveled soul when it is released from your grasping body, and smile at your giddy wife's second marriage. He'll get along. The Lord only knows how—but the editor will will get there somehow.

Cars for China.

A number of cars are now being erected at the Middletown Car Works for a railroad in China. The road is being built by an English firm and runs from Canton to a neighboring town. The cars, all but the wheels, which are of a peculiar design and are shipped from England, are being erected at Middletown. The oddest part about the cars are the letters indicating the name of the railroad. These are in Chinese characters and are put on the same as English letters.

Incredible.

An Irish harvester found himself in a small Scottish town. At the gasworks he saw a gasemeter for the first time in his life and stopped a countryman who was passing to ask, "What's that big round thing there standing on end?"

The Scotchman scratched his head and replied, "A dinna ken."

"Get out with you," said the Irishman; "you never saw a dinner can as big as that in your life."

Odd Fellows Day.

The Odd Fellows Association of Central Pennsylvania will hold its annual convention in Milton on Tuesday, April 28th. These meetings have usually been held on the 26 th, the anniversary of the founding of the order but this year the 26th comes on Sunday, so it was decided to hold the convention on the following Tuesday. The coming meeting gives promise of being one of the largest ever held by the association.

Cramp in the Leg.

To those who suffer from cramp in the leg at night the following hint may be useful: When the cramp comes on, take a good strong string a long garter will do wind it round the leg over the place that is affected and take an end in each hand and give it a sharp pull, one that will hurt a little. Instantly the cramp will depart, and the sufferer can return to bed assured it will not come again that night.

The Teaser peppered With Shot.

Walton Moate, of near Driftwood, was admitted to the Williamsport hospital, with his body peppered with shot. He had teased a half-witted young man named Wainwright and provoked him to anger. The next morning Wainwright laid in wait for Moate and emptied the shot into him.

Will Have Four Rural Routes.

Four rural free delivery routes are being arranged for by the postmaster at Jersey Shore, it having been decided to give the office double the number at first intended. One of the additional routes will be up Pine creek and the other through Nippenose valley.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazle Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, discovered, some years ago, how to make a salve from Witch Hazle that is a specific for Piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, eczema, cut, burns' bruises and all skin diseases, Dewitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's —the genuine.

Parrish's Drug Store.

COLLINS ON THE STAND

Delaware Farmer Positively Denies Killing His Wife.

CONTRADICTS GIRL'S TESTIMONY

Prosecution Closed Its Case By Producing a Witness Who Says He Heard Accused Tell His Wife "I Will Kill You Before Morning."

Georgetown, Del., March 21. — The state closed its case yesterday in the trial of Elmer Collins, charged with the murder of his wife, Ilda, on their farm in April of last year, and the defendant took the stand in his own behalf. When Collins took the stand he detailed his movements at the time the murder was committed, and positively denied that he had committed it. He also contradicted the testimony of the Rhoades girl, who testified of her relations with the defendant. During the recital of the details surrounding the discovery of the body, Collins broke down and wept for some minutes.

The prosecution closed its case by springing another sensation. It called to the stand Harrison Wrotten, who lived near the Collins farm.

Mr. Ward asked: "Do you remember the day Mrs. Collins was killed?" "Yes."

"Where were you living then?" "With James Low."

"Did you pass the Collins house the day before the murder?" "Yes."

"Where were you going?" "From the fish grounds to Low's, along the Portsville road."

"Was anyone with you?" "Yes; one man and two boys."

"What did you hear as you passed the Collins house?" "I heard words. I heard quarreling. I hurried the boys along. As we passed I saw a man standing on the porch."

"Did you hear what was said?" "Yes; the man's voice said: 'I will kill you between this and morning.' These words were loud. There were others I couldn't hear well."

"Have you ever seen Collins?" "Yes."

Collins was asked to stand up and was identified by Wrotten, who then continued: "The next time I saw Collins it was after the murder. He was kneeling in a wagon, praying. I heard him ask the Lord to forgive him for what he had done. The wagon was moving at the time."

Cross-examination was bitter, and the witness was asked if he didn't frequently change his residence. He replied: "Yes; I always move on when I don't like my work"

Charles F. Richards yesterday afternoon opened the case for the defense by saying that he would disclose to the court and jury that the defendant was a Sussex county boy with the usual education of a country boy except for a six-months term in a Dover academy. He said that they would give in detail what was done by the family on the 11th of April up until dark and would show that there was company at the house. He also said that they would show beyond any doubt that the wife was living on the morning of April 12, when Collins went to the field. He would show that they had no trouble during the six years they lived together.

"We will show to you that there were tracks leading across the field and that a man was seen crossing the branch that morning, and that a strange man on a bicycle was near the place on April 11. And if the court will allow us will prove that this is the man who committed the murder."

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND

Bill Extending Local Self-Government To Be Introduced In Parliament.

London, March 21.—A bill giving Ireland an important extension of local self-government will be introduced in parliament by the government. The leaders of the Nationalists and Irish Unionists have already been consulted on the subject, and the rough outlines of the proposed measure have been sketched.

Thomas W. Russell, Liberal Unionist, in an interview at Enniskillen, Ireland, declared the government was about to introduce a modified measure of home rule, but the statement is premature as regards the time and goes beyond the facts in the case. Nothing will be done until the Irish land bill is disposed of.

Had Proved It.

"A great deal may be said on the subject," said the prolix person.

"That," said the weary auditor, "is the one point on which you have convinced me."—Washington Star.

Of Local Importance.

A measure passed the house requiring school tax collectors in boroughs and townships to make monthly statements to the secretaries of the school boards of amounts collected, dates and names of parties from which collected and pay the tax monthly to the treasurer and provide for meeting of school directors and tax collector and for the collection and payment of all school taxes to the treasurer on or before the first Monday of April in each year.

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PHARES DIED BY POISON

Coroner's Jury Holds Jersey Constable's Widow On Murder Charge.

Mt. Holly, N. J., March 23.—As the result of startling testimony before the coroner's jury Saturday, the widow of Constable Albert Phares, of Jacksonville, was held for the action of the grand jury on charges of having administered strychnine to her husband in the most cold-blooded way. Garfield Taylor, who admitted that he had been the woman's companion on several occasions, was held as accessory. It was shown at the inquest that all the symptoms of strychnine poisoning were present in Phares' case; that Mrs. Phares had bought 30 grains of the poison at a drug store on the day her husband died, signing a book kept to register such sales, and that she had asked how much of the poison would be required to kill a person. Chemical analysis showed that the organs of the dead man contained enough of the strychnine to cause his death.

As to the motive for the alleged killing, the authorities produced compromising letters from Mrs. Phares to Taylor, and a Camden boarding house keeper told of the couple's visit to her house as man and wife.

CHARGES AGAINST GEN. WOOD

E. G. Rathbone Says He Received Gifts From a Cuban Gambling Concern.

Washington, March 23.—Estes G. Rathbone, former director general of posts of Cuba, Saturday filed with the adjutant general of the army specific charges against General Leonard Wood in connection with the latter's duties as military governor of Cuba. In brief, Major Rathbone charges that General Wood manipulated the Cuban courts, that he received gifts from a gambling concern amounting to $5,000, and that the gifts were admitted into Cuba free of duty contrary to law. There is some prospect, it is said, that General Wood may defer his start for the Philippines and ask for a court of inquiry.

General Wood yesterday placed in the hands of the secretary of war a voluntary statement regarding the charges and denies that he received personal gifts. He says that when he left Cuba the Spanish merchants presented him with a silver service, which was admitted free of duty.

PLUMAGE HAT A BAR TO HEAVEN

No Hope For Woman Who Wears Sea Gull Or Song Bird On It.

Boston, March 23.—Professor Dallas L. Sharp, of Boston University, as preacher at the First Methodist Church yesterday, said:

"No woman who wears a sea gull or a song bird in her hat can ever get to heaven. If you need an Easter bonnet, get it. Wear it to church, for what better place to wear it than to church. It is an honor to God and a benediction to the soul to have and see Easter bonnets. Get the bonnets, however, without robbing and killing. Those who rob the lives of the song bird and the bird of beautiful plumage cannot hope for heaven."

Dr. O'Brian Not Expelled from Saxony.

New York, March 23.—Dr. Lewis A. O'Brian, Mrs. O'Brian, his wife, and their young son were passengers on the steamer Pretoria, which docked yesterday. Dr. O'Brian is the American dentist whose name has been connected by European correspondents with that of Princess Louise of Saxony. Yesterday he emphatically denied that he had been officially expelled from Saxony. He said he had heard such a report when he got to Plymouth, and averred that the truth of the matter was that on learning from his partner that the Saxon officials had been talking of some such action, he "would not wait to give them a chance." He says he never learned the princess to ride a bicycle, nor did the two ride together.

Loving Cup For Bowen.

Washington, March 23—As evidence of the regard in which Minister Bowen is held by the people of Venezuela the minister Saturday received a handsome silver loving cup. On the obverse side the American and Venezuelan flags are intertwined, and beneath is the following inscription: "Modest testimonial of gratitude and sympathy to the Honorable Herbert W. Bowen, New York, February 14, 1903." This is the date on which the protocol was signed with the blockading powers. On the reverse side are the names of the committee making the presentation.

Fifteen Injured By Runaway Car.

East Liverpool, O., March 23.—A street car on the new Pleasant Heights line ran away last night on a steep hill, struck a sharp curve and overturned, landing with trucks up 30 feet away. It was crushed like an egg shell. There were 15 persons on board, and all were injured, some very seriously. The wreck was so complete that the car had to be chopped with an axe before all the passengers could be extricated.

Farming in the South.

The Passenger Department of the Illinois Central Railroad Company is issuing monthly circulars concerning fruit growing, vegetable gardening, stock raising, dairying, etc., in the States of Kentucky, West Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana. Every farmer or homeseeker who will forward his name and address to the undersigned will be mailed free, Circulars Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, and others as they are published from month to month.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

—At a meeting of the board of managers of the Perry County Agricultural society, September 15, 16, 17 and 18, 1903 were the dates fixed for holding the next fair.

—Snakes have made their appearance in Sugar valley, Clinton county, much earlier in the season than usual. Chester Schwenk killed a blackenake last week that was five feet long.

—A little fracus occurred at one of the up town hostelries Monday night, the particulars of which we have been unable to learn. The difficulty was adjusted between the parties concerned and the matter dropped.

—Nelson E. Robb moved his family and household goods to Williamsport Monday where he will make his permanent residence. We are sorry to lose Mr. Robb from Bellefonte for he was one of our best citizens.

—Merle Rowe, 13 years of age, of Reedsville, Mifflin county, died Saturday morning from poison, he having eaten laurel in mistake for wintergreen, while roaming among the mountains in the vicinity of his home.

—The body of Stephen Goluck, of Barnsboro, Cambria county, who went on a hunting trip last December and never returned, was found Sunday half a mile from the town. His gun lay about a dozen feet away from the body.

—Early Saturday morning a barn on the John Beyer estate, Williamsport, was burned to the ground, the origin of the fire being unknown. Two horses, belonging to Robert H. Eck, were burned to death and a cow, also belonging to him, was so badly burned that it had to be killed.

—A quiet but pleasant wedding was solemnized Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Luke's Reform parsonage Lock Haven by Rev. W. J. Johnson, when W. C. Smoyer of Sharon and Mrs. Kate Brown of Howard were united in matrimony according to the impressive service of the Reform church.

—Uncle Sam has shown his appreciation of the valuable services rendered by two of our Post Office officials by increasing their salaries one hundred dollars each per year. We would give the names of the fortunate ones, but have been warned not to do so, and at the present we are not courting trouble.

—The lot owners in the Tyrone Cemetery are raising a kick, because cows are allowed to pasture in "the city of the dead", and as a result it is impossible to beautify that spot with plants or flowers. We wonder at the cows seeking such a place when there is fine picking on some of the streets down town.

—The managers of the Hospital are looking around for a man and wife to live in that building when completed. The man will be expected to keep the grounds in order, run errands, fire the furnace in winter etc. The woman to do washing and general house work. This is an excellent opportunity for a man and wife to secure a good home.

—The Loganton Journal says: "An exciting fever has been started at Greenburr over the reported discovery of a rich quality of coal in the gap half a mile south of that village. It is said large quantities of the black diamond can be found near the surface. A local company has secured options for the purchase of the land. The work of unearthing the rich treasure will be commenced shortly."

—Be it said to the credit of Jimmy Cornelius that he is the first person to contribute two days labor, gratuitously to the new Hospital. Now let others follow his example. There is a lot of work to be done before the building is ready for occupancy, and funds are scarce. If there are any men in town, who will help this public institution to the extent of giving a day or two of labor, let them report to Miss Meek at the Watchman office.

—Mrs. Minnie Leisenring, of Allentown, a deputy factory inspector, has issued orders concerning a number of buildings in Pottsville which raised great excitement. Many business blocks are condemned by her and if they cannot be strengthened they must be torn down. She also threatens the owners of the academy of music and several large hotels with legal proceedings unless they immediately construct fire escapes.

—The Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin remarks that two umbrellas were stolen from an office in that city. It is a wonder such a wide-awake journal has not learned before this that umbrellas are not personal, but public property, and to simply pick one up, when the conditions of the weather demand, cannot be construed into burglary, larceny nor arson. Of course, if the opportunity should occur, it is no more than proper to return it, but failure to do so is not considered a crime, it is simply a case of *lapsus memoriæ*. We have a pecuniary interest in several that are floating around Bellefonte but we make no fuss about it.

—Hard work is the best sort of physical culture.

—March may go out like a lamb, but it has been acting more like a water fowl.—Pittsburg Telegraph.

—A 95-foot span bridge is being erected over Fishing Creek at Lamar by Clinton county commissioners.

—The fellow who sits down and waits for his rich relatives to die must consider that they are worth their wait in gold.

—In one Texas county there is but one negro, and he refuses to become a postmaster.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

—If you resolved on the first of the year not to tell another lie it will be well for you to give up that contemplated trouting trip next month.

—William Lake, of near Hughesville, Lycoming county, aged 76 years, holds a record of splitting 17,000 rails in 85 days from a 10 acre tract of timber.

—Luck Kentucky! The United States has paid its war claim amounting to $1,400,000, and its bonded debt is only $1,000,000.—Nashville American.

—Rev. Emory Stevens, pastor of the Pine street M. E. church, Williamsport, formerly Presiding Elder of the Juniata district, is ill of typhoid fever.

—The population of Johnstown at present is estimated at 50,000, making it the largest city between Harrisburg and Pittsburg, with Altoona a close second.

—George T. Angel, editor of Our Dumb Animals, is very positive that a teaspoonful of sulphur in each stocking or shoe, or hang a little bag from the neck, may save people from the grip.

—Congress has paid to South Carolina a claim which has been standing since 1812. This should be put before the Sultan of Turkey as a worthy example.—Birmingham News.

—The Williamsport Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball team went to State College Thursday and played a game against State Thursday night, the result of which was State 13 Williamsport 9.

—"Yes," remarked the sad looking stranger, "I have seen the last of many a good man." "Doctor or undertaker? queried the man. "Neither," replied he of the sad look. "I'm a shoemaker."

—Two conspicuous features of young Mr. Rockefeller's Bible class appear to be a regular elaborate discussion of wealth and the passing at intervals of the contribution basket—Birmingham News.

—The County Commissioners have a force of men engaged in painting and papering the office of the Register and Recorder. When completed, Alex. Archey and John Rowe will have the finest quarters in the Court House.

—George Reeder who lost a leg at the battle of the Wilderness during the civil war says he is the only man in Lock Haven who will receive $40 per month under the new pension law. Mr. Reeder's leg was amputated below the knee.

—This is a marvelous age. Wonderful discoveries in the realm of science are being made daily. One who is a child now will witness changes surpassing the stories told by the old fairy tale romances if he lives to be three score and ten.

—The annual reunion of the German Reformed churches of Southern Pennsylvania will be held at Penn Mar on July 16. A committee has been appointed to invite President Roosevelt to attend. The Marine Band will also be present.

—Thomas Moore who has been so seriously ill with typhoid fever in a Philadelphia hospital, has so far recovered that he expects to leave the institution next week, and as soon as able will come to Bellefonte to recuperate, and be in shape to angle for trout when the season opens.

—It is a remarkable fact that every student attending State College who applies himself faithfully to his studies has a position awaiting him as soon as he graduates. The instruction given at that institution is most thorough, and it is the boy's own fault if he does not leave it qualified for the duties of life.

—Governor Pennypacker has designed a desk for his private office which he expects will do service for many future executives. When Governor Stone retired the Legislature voted him his desk. It is 6 by 4 feet in size, with a flat top. The end pannels will be ornamented with the State coat-of-arms, carved in facsimile.

—Mrs. King, of Corpus Christi, Tex., owns more land than any other woman in this country, perhaps in the world. Her holdings amount to 1,300'000 acres. Her late husband, Captain King, was one of the old-time cattle barons. Mrs. King has about 65,000 cattle grazing on her board acres. Under the terms of her husband's will the estate must not be divided until his oldest grandchild shall come of age. Mrs. King has one son and three married daughters.

—Many post office clerks are just now receiving advance of salary. What is wrong with our post office force that they are not raised a peg or two? They certainly are faithful and accommodating and are as hard worked as any clerks in the country. In this connection we would ask. Why not put on a new letter carrier? our force is too small for the amount of mail to be handled, they leave the office some mornings loaded down like pack mules. Let us have an additional carrier.

—The chronic borrower is usually out on a strike.

—After a man is married he begins to lose his conceit.

—The man who is everybody's friend is generally his own worst enemy.

—Don't judge people by their clothes unless you see the family wash out on the line,

—Many a man has gone to the bad through his efforts to be regarded as a good fellow.

—S. B. Shaffer, of Madisonburg, will succeed A. Nearhood as landlord of the Rebersburg hotel.

—Typhoid fever has broken out at the Tressler Orphans' Home at Loysville, and the situation is becoming more serious every day.

—A. A. Pletcher resigned as a school teacher of Howard to accept the position of special agent with the Milwaukee Harvester company.

—The bill to prevent the sale of cigarettes or cigarette paper to persons under 21 years of age, passed finally in the State Senate Monday night.

—Thirty-nine helpers in the upper foundry at the Standard works near Lewistown struck for higher wages. They were paid off and discharged.

—The marriage of Harry Hoy, of Bellefonte, and Miss Mable Stover, of Houserville, took place at the Reformed parsonage Boalsburg, ceremony by Rev. A. A Black, Thursday, March 12th.

—When the doctor was asked what he thought of the reception he had attended the previous evening, he said: "It was a carbuncle." "What do you mean by that?" "Why, it was a great gathering and a swell affair."

—Rev. Mr. Wisely pastor of the Tyrone Presbyterian church has received calls from three churches, Trenton, N. J., Newark, Ohio, and Philadelphia, the latter offering $5000 per year. At the present time Mr. Wisely has not decided whether he will leave his present pastorate or remain.

—By a vote of 12 to 11 the House Committee on Counties and Townships Wednesday night killed the bill for the creation of a new county of Conemaugh from the southern part of Cambria and portions of Somerset, Westmoreland and Indiana counties, with Johnstown as the county seat.

—Harry L. Hutchison after two weeks of sickness, has resumed his duties as ticket and telegraph agent at the P. R. R. station. During his absence there was a stranger occupied his place, who although polite and obliging, did not fill the bill to our liking as does Harry. We welcome our old friend back to his post.

—President George W. Atherton, of the Pennsylvania State College, and General Beaver appeared before the House Appropriations Committee at Harrisburg Wednesday evening in support of the State College appropriation bill, which carries $270.000. Col. W. F Reeder and George R. Meek were there the same evening to emphasize the claims of the Bellefonte hospital.

—Henry Waterman, the man who issued the first postage stamp in the United States, recently died at his home in Woonsocket, R. I. He was the postmaster of Millbury in 1839, when there were no stamps, and a letter was cancelled by the postmaster writing his name and the amount of postage due across the face of the envelope. Waterman did not like this method, and designed the Millbury stamp, having the die made in Boston, and lived to see his creation quoted at nearly $1,000 among stamp collectors.

—Prof. D. O. Etters is carrying his left hand in a sling, he has it wrapped in enough muslin to cover the side of a house. At first we were inclined to think it was merely a bid for sympathy, we find however, he has a sore hand, a very sore hand. He injured it last Monday morning while engaged in tuning the family piano. One of his fingers became entangled in the cog wheels and before he could stop the machine it had torn off the nail which has caused him considerable suffering and great inconvenience.

—Wm. Groh Runkle one of Bellefonte's brightest legal lights is in addition to being one of our leading and most successful attorneys, a most accommodating gentleman, he can accommodate himself to most any circumstances, for instance at the entertainment given by the Sextette Club in Petrikin Hall Tuesday night it just took three seats to accommodate him, one for himself, one for his overcoat and another for his hat. We did not blame him, for if he chooses to buy three tickets and cannot get any one to go with him, he has a right to put them to any use he pleases.

—Katz & Co. of the Globe department store expect in a few days to announce the date of their Millinery opening. This is a great event for the ladies of Bellefonte and vicinity, as this firm have the enviable reputation of leading in this line their styles are always the latest and their assortment the largest. This season they have been so fortunate as to secure the service of Miss Wilson of New York who has entire charge of the Millinery department. We have heard it whispered that the display at the opening will be the finest ever seen in our town, which we believe to be correct, as Miss Wilson is an artist in her line.

—Croup instantly relieved. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Perfectly safe. Never fails. At any drug store.

—Life insurance, when carried by a married man, is only a scheme to feather the nest of his successor.

—The following ladies left Wednesday for Huntingdon to attend the meeting of the Presbyterian Foreign Missionary Society: Mrs. M. H. Wilson, Mrs. M. L. Altenderfer, Mrs. F. H. Thomas, Misses Anna H. Hoy, and Mary H. Linn from Bellefonte; Mrs. Wm. Thompson and Miss Mable Thompson from Centre Furnace.

—The following members of the Masonic fraternity went to Williamsport Wednesday to take part in the dedication of the Howard Memorial Hall C. M. Bower, Harry Keller, Robt. Morris, W. F. Reeder, A. C. Mingle, and Boyd A. Musser. The festivites of the occasion will continue until Saturday which means a great deal to our fellow citizen who have gone to participate in the event.

—Supt. F. H. Thomas of the Bellefonte Central Railroad has purchased a new locomotive for that road, which will reach here on Friday. This is the second new locomotive purchased this year, which looks as if the road was prospering. In addition to motive power, the passenger coaches are being renovated, and a new observation car will soon be completed and ready for use. The road bed will receive proper attention, and by early summer be in first class condition.

—John D. Sourbeck Sr., has opened for display and sale, the finest stock of Easter goods ever brought to Bellefonte. There is every novelty in the line that can be imagined, rabbits that will hop like the real live article, hens which lay eggs by simply turning a crank, and lots of other things we fail to remember. Parents take your little ones to Mr. Sourbeck's and let them see all that he has, and the proprietor does not consider it a trouble to show his goods whether you make a purchase or not.

—James I. Thompson will offer for sale at Centre Furnace on Tuesday March 31 commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. a fine lot of Jersey Cattle, consisting of cows, Heifers and young bulls. This is the finest stock ever offered in Centre County and will be certain to attract a large number of persons. A Hack will meet the 8:40 train at Lemont and the 11:30 train at State College. This will be an opportunity of a life time to secure good blooded Jersey Stock. We are also requested to state that a special invitation is extended to all newspaper men. Why he wants the Editors there is more than we can tell, as the whole push have not money enough to buy the oldest cow or youngest calf.

—A number of official of the New York Central railroad visited Oak Grove a day or two ago and witnessed a test of the two immense electric lifting cranes that have been installed in the shops. One of the cranes has a capacity of lifting 75 tons, the other 35 tons. One of the largest freight locomotives was run into the shop and fastened to the huge 75 ton crane by a system of heavy chains, owing to the absence of the complete apparatus which is generally employed for such purposes. The locomotive weighed about 71 tons. It was easily and gracefully lifted from the track. The 20 ton crane was given a similiar test with a heavily loaded tender. Both machines were pronounced perfection.

—The bursting of a steam radiator pipe in the office of the Tyrone Herald Tuesday morning, caused consternation in that well regulated establishment. It came so sudden that the whole force were frightened out of their wits, Capt. Jones was the first to recover himself, which was natural, he being an old soldier and with the aid of Claude, who had taken refuge under the counter, order was soon restored, and an inventory taken of the damage, which consisted of one radiator pipe blown to "smithereens," one stick of nerve tonic advertisement pied, and six badly frightened "typos." Notwith standing the accident, the Herald appeared in the evening as newsy and chipper as usual.

—Henry Kieser, of Reading, has an odd way of foretelling the weather. For 25 years he has been blacksmith foreman at Mellert's foundry, and he has used the same anvil all that time. Underneath this anvil small ants have made their home. During the summer months the place is crowded with them. Mr Kieser claims that for 21 years he has predicted the weather by their actions. He says that spring is now well at hand, and that there will be no more snow or cold weather. His reason for this is that Saturday the ants made their appearance for the first time. He says that during the 21 years that he has been telling the weather by the first appearance of the ants he has not missed it a single time in his predictions.

The Calithumpians Were Out in Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fasig returned to Lock Haven on Tuesday from their wedding tour before proceeding to their future home at Osceola, and on Tuesday evening the newly married couple were tendered a delightful ? serenade by the irrepressable calithumpians at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs T. Bernau, Henderson street.—Lock Haven Democrat.

[Mr. Fasig was a former Bellefonte boy and has many friends here who wish he and his bride unbounded happiness through life.—ED.]

PERSONALS.

Robert Cole spent Friday in Lock Haven.

Roscoe Hall visited friends at Montoursville last week.

Mr. T. B. Ardell, of Julian, spent Saturday in town.

Ex-Sheriff John P. Condo was a Bellefonte visitor Friday.

Col. Austin Curtin was a familiar figure upon our streets Tuesday.

Sheriff Hugh S. Taylor transacted business in Clearfield last week.

Col. J. F. Weaver of Boggs Township was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. M. D. Jackson returned Monday evening from a visit to Lock Haven.

Miss Lulu McMullen of Mingoville, spent Friday with friends in Bellefonte.

Alex. McCoy, of Potter Mills, transacted business in Bellefonte Saturday.

Wilson I. Fleming came home from Harrisburg Friday to spend Sunday with his family.

William Walton Esq., paymaster for the American Lime and Stone Company was in town Saturday.

Mrs Sophia Stover of Unionville is visiting her daughter Mrs J. Fall Stover on North Water Street.

Theodore Aikey and daughter, Miss Helen are visiting friends and relatives at Hartleton and vicinity.

Prof. J. D. Hunter, principal of the State College borough schools, spent Saturday in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Mary Dale, of Lemont, is a visitor at the home of her son, John M. Dale, Esq., on Linn street.

Hon. William M. Allison, of Spring Mills, accompanied by his little son, was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday.

C. Dale Esq one of College Township's substantial citizens and farmers was in town Tuesday on business.

Miss Celia Armor returned Monday from Centre Furnace, where she had been spending several days.

John Rossman, of Roland, and his little daughter Emily May, were pleasant visitors at our sanctum Saturday.

Mrs. A. O. Furst was a passenger on the Montandon train Tuesday afternoon. She has gone to visit friends in Milton.

Edward R. Chambers, Esq., was an arrival home Saturday from a business trip through the western part of the State.

"Doc" Underwood who for some time has had charge of the Telegraph office at Renovo, is in town for a short visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Underwood on Spring Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cook accompanied by their daughter Grace returned Monday from a five weeks tour through the Southern States. Most of the time being spent at various points in Florida.

Paul F. Holloway son of Rev. H. C. Holloway D. D. has secured a fine position in the construction department of the P. R. R at Altoona. The young man has many friends in Bellefonte who will be glad to hear of his good fortune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. W. English, of Pittsburg; Mrs. George English of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Furey and Miss Margaret Furey, of Spring Township drove Saturday to Centre Hall, to visit the sister of Mr. English and Mrs Furey.

Hon. Robert M. Foster is at present taking a dark view of this bright and happy world. We saw him in town Saturday wearing a pair of smoked eye-glasses which, we must confess, detracts from his usual handsome appearance.

Mrs. James F. Brown, of Unionville, attended the entertainment given in Petrikin Hall Tuesday night by the Boston Sextette Club. Mrs. Brown is an active worker in the temperance cause and frequently comes to Bellefonte to aid in the work of the W. C. T. U.

Mr. J. Will Conley spent the fore-part of last week in Centre Hall, called there by the illness of his father, John W. Conley, who was taken ill Monday morning while out in the field sowing clover seed. It was with considerable difficulty that he reached the house, where he was at once put under oxygen treatment for pneumonia by Dr. J. F. Alexander. His condition at this writing is somewhat improved.

Geo. Martz of Lemont, was in town Saturday. Mr. Martz is a veteran of the Civil War and did valiant service in the 56th Regt. Pa. Vol. When we saw him he was button holed by Sam. Williams who also served in the same Regiment. To hear those two men talk, one would almost believe that the 56th was the only regiment engaged in active service during the war, they tell some marvelous stories which we hope, for their sakes, are true.

Mrs. John M. Keichline, her daughter, Miss Daise, and Dr. John Keichline arrived home Thursday from a four months' stay at Battle Creek, Michigan. Mrs. Keichline and her family spent last summer at the sanitarium at Battle Creek and were so pleased with its management and surroundings that later when Mrs. K's health became impaired she determined to return there for an operation and treatment. Miss Daise went with her and Dr. Keichline has been doing graduate work preparatory to practicing his profession.

Miss Bess Musser is visiting friends in Union county.

Rev. J. Victor Royer of Port Matilda spent Friday in town.

Mrs. J. E. Ward spent Friday with friends at Centre Hall.

Mrs. John Garthoff spent part of last week with friends in Coburn.

Hon. Henry Wetzel was visible upon our streets Monday morning.

J. Harris Hoy of Rock View spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte.

Miss Romie VanPelt of Centre Hall is spending a few days in Bellefonte.

John Jenkins, the iron magnate of Milton, visited our town Friday.

Miss Helen Atherton of State College, spent a few hours in town Monday.

H. C. Quigley Esq., returned Tuesday from a professional trip to Penns Valley.

Col. W. F. Reeder returned Thursday from from a quick trip to Harrisburg.

Rev. Wilford P. Shriner D. D. left on the 4:44 train Monday for Conference.

Frank Shugert who is employed in Clearfield, spent Wednesday in Bellefonte.

Mr. Dorsey Calhoun of Unionvill was a pleasant caller at this office while in town Monday.

Ex-Commissioner Geo. L. Goodhart of Potter Township was a Bellefonte visitor Thursday.

Supt. J. W. Gephart was an arrival home on Friday from a business trip to eastern cities.

Mr. John Crock of Snow Shoe was a pleasant called at this office while in town last week.

Thomas A. Shoemaker was an arrival home on Friday to spend Sunday with his family.

Wm. H. Long one of Howard's prominent business men spent a few hours in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Roberts and little son Joe, left on Thursday for Pitcairn, where they will visit relatives.

Mr. Henry Young Sr. was called to Punxsutawney, on account of the illness of his daughter Mrs. Shirk.

Miss Dorn of Lock Haven, was a guest over Sunday at the home of Mrs. Johathan Harper on Linn Street.

Messrs. Emil Joseph and Harry Holtz arrived home Thursday from a business trip to New York city.

Mrs. Ed. Nearhood and son Harry, have returned from a very enjoyable visit among friends at Rebersburg.

Rev. R. H. Wharton, pastor of the Methodist church in Milesburg, spent several hours in Bellefonte Thursday.

Hon. Harry R. Curtin has so far recovered from his recent serious illness as to be visible upon our streets.

Mr. D. B. Newcomer, proprietor of the Haag Hotel was called to Perry county on account of the death of his sister.

Miss Ida Orris has gone to Williamsport to take part in the festivities of Howard Memorial dedication ceremonies.

Mrs. A. M. Sloteman and children returned from Linden Hall on Friday, at which place they have been visiting for a few days.

Misses Josie and Helen White returned Monday to West Chester to resume their studies at the Normal school of that place.

A. A. Stevens Genl. manager for the American Lime and stone Co. was in Bellefonte last Thursday looking after his extensive interest at this place.

Dr. John Robinson, Profs John Price Jackson, Louis E. Reber and M. A. McDowell all of State College were visitors in town on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. O. D. Rhen who has been visiting her sister Miss Lizzie Morrison for the past ten days returned to her home in Williamsport Wednesday morning.

Mr. Harry English of Pittsburg accompanied by Mrs. George English of New York are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Furey near Bellefonte.

Mr. Harry Dawson, who has been working in Philadelphia, arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday evening. He expects to remain in town during the summer.

Frank Shaughnessy who is employed in the Freight Dept. of the P. R. R. at Pittsburg is taking a short rest from his labors at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaughnessy on Howard Street.

Mr. E. M. Huyett who has resided in the McManus house on Howard street for several months is moving his family to Centre Hall where he has large lumber interest. Dr. Kilpatrick will occupy the house about April 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Underwood and daughter Martha, left on Friday for a visit with friends at Lewistown and Milroy. While absent Mr. and Mrs. Underwood will attend a banquet to be given by the Association of Railroad Men.

Mr. Robt. Frazer, President of the Bellefonte Central Railroad Co., is spending a few days in town. He is here in the interest of the road, but his particular mission, he will not divulge. It may be he contemplates double tracking the line, or he may have in view absorbing some of the other lines terminating at this point in order to merge with the Wabash which is heading this way. This is our guess for he won't talk.